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es reflected the erosion of differ-

institutions. The bank traditionally

has focused on long-term project

Official efforts to stabilize

currencies are threatened by

rising interest rates. Page 11.

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But the overwhelming nature of

the debt problem has forced the

agencies to deal with some of the same issues, often in the same

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Mr. Baker, who played a key role

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Greek Tanker Attacked

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Iranian Gunboat Blamed in Raid: No One Injured

LONDON - A Greek tanker Gulf, apparently from an Iranian gunboat, but no casualties were reported, Lloyd's Shipping Intelli-

gence said.
Lloyd's quoted information from sources it declined to identify that the 38,629-ton Koriana was hit in the southern Gulf.

"There were no casualties and the vessel is thought to be proceed-ing under its own power," Lloyd's said. The Koriana is owned by Pallanza Shipping Corp. of Piracus.
Three British minesweepers, re-

sponding to a U.S. request for ascoast of the United Arab Emirates, between Dubai and an Iranian Revolutionary Guard island base, Revolutionary during their first operation in the

The Ricester and two ones and Navy minesweepers, the Bracon and Huwoth, entered the Gulf through the Strait of Hormuz on Monday.

They began operating after the U.S. guided missile destroyer Kidd and one of its anti-submarine helicopters spotted what might have been three mines 15 miles (24 kilometers) on Sunday north of Dubai, one of the United Arab Emirates, m the south-central Gulf.

Shipping sources said fran might have planted the mines spotted in the Dubsi channel in response to a U.S. attack on an Iranian minelaying ship Sept. 14 and Iraqi mis-sile attacks over the weekend on tankers in Iranian service.

ENERGY CARRY

Also Tuesday, Iraq sent war-planes 560 miles (900 kilometers) station near the Iran-Soviet border. an traci military communique said. Shipping sources confirmed an Iraqi report that warplanes also at-

tacked and set afire a tanker, the Kherk off the Iranian coast. In Weshington the Pentagon said a Knwain westel and its U.S. escort, the 16th such convoy, got under way Monday night in the

The U.S.-registered Kuwaiti injusted natural gas, and the guided missile frigate Hawes proceeded uneventfully through the central (Reuters, UPI) Pentagon. Pentagon. (Reiders, OP)

The U.S. Senate approved an embargo on Iranian crude oil and other imports, 98-0, Tuesday as an amendment to the 1988 military spending bill, Reuters reported from Washington.

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U.S. Is Suspending Aid to Pakistan

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WASHINGTON (NYT) Congress has suspended aid to Pakistan for six weeks to allow time to determine what to do about Pakistan's apparent ef-fort to develop nuclear arms.

Pakistan has been receiving American aid under a congressional waiver that allows the provision of U.S. aid despite concern over Pakistan's muclear program. But that six-year waiver is set to expire Wednesday and was not extended Friday when Congress approved a stop-gap spending resolution.



Henry Ford 2d, the automaker, died in Detroit on Tuesday at 70. Page 5.

GENERAL NEWS

Fift's coup leader has decided to leave the Commonwealth and declare a republic. Page 2. BUSINESS/FINANCE

■ Selomon Brothers has turned down a Revion offer to buy a. substantial stake. Page 11.

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Gorbachev's Absence Ends After 52 Days

MOSCOW - After an uncharacteristic 52-day absence from public view, Mikhail S. Gorbachev was back at work in the Kremlin on Tuesday, meeting with a French delegation and looking tanner, slimmer and in good humor.

"I believe there has been some suggestion that I have taken too long a vacation," he told the group. "I can tell you I carned it."

Mr. Gorbachev's energetic performance cut short some of the wilder rumors that had circulated about

But it showed that despite calls for more open-ness in society, the Kremini had not yet allowed the light of glasnoss to shine on its own internal doings.

over the last week that Mr. Gorbachev was on vacation and in good health were not presented to the Soviet public. The silence, punctuated only by articles and messages in the press signed by Mr. Gorbachev, fueled rumors that he was ailing or

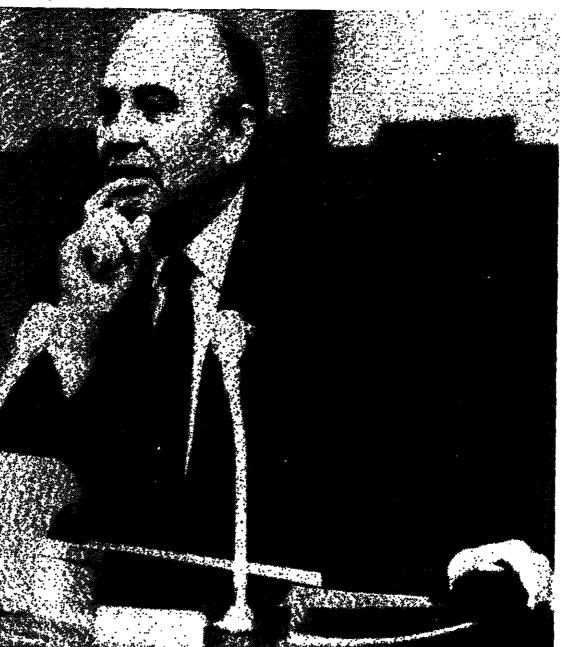
It may never be known why Mr. Gorbachev absented himself for such a long period. Reports persist that either he or his wife, Raisa, was ill.

Another theory, presented by Soviet sources, is that after a steady run of public appearances he decided to avoid overexposure and dampen any signs of an incipient "cult of personality."

In his meeting Tuesday with the 370-member France-U.S.S.R. Friendship Society, Mr. Gorbachev employed his relaxed, garrulous style to deflect the issue of his absence He said his vacation had been a "fruitful" one. giving him time to finish a book and prepare a

major speech for the Nov. 7 celebrations of the 70th anniversary of the Russian Revolution. He also took the opportunity to reaffirm his political strength.

"There is no political opposition in the Soviet Union," he asserted, and he added that the process of "restructuring is gathering strength." But he warned against the "vain aspirations" of those who might seek to use the new openness in Soviet society to instigate "social upheaval."



Mikhail S. Gorbachev addressing a French delegation in Moscow on Tuesday.

planes 560 miles (900 kilometers) into Iran, bombing an arms factory near Tehran and the Naca power. In the Glasnost Debate, 2 Conservatives Speak Out that are alienated by Mr. Gorba-

They note, for instance, Mr. Li-

gachev's broad support for Mr.

chev's cultural reforms

By Celestine Bohlen Waskington Post Service

MOSCOW - In the debates now raging among the Soviet elites story, culture and how far to take Mikhail S. Gorbachev's new have found two forceful allies in Yegor K. Ligachev, second only to Mr. Gorbachev in the ruling Politburo, and Viktor M. Chebrikov, head of the KGB security police. In recent weeks Mr. Ligachev has stepped up his criticism of a

widening review of Soviet history, defending the eras of Stalin and

The party ideologist has also called newspaper editors to task for articles that trespass across the illdefined limits of glasnoss, as he sees it, and has sounded warnings against the infiltration of "mass bourgeois culture" into Soviet soci-

Despite these actions, a number of Western analysts are reductant to ed with the decision last year to describe Mr. Ligachev, who is 66. as an opponent of Mr. Gorbachev, although some say he may be posiat a future point.

tioning himself as a potential rival Leonid I Brezhnev as periods that his role as ideological chief, setting a number of issues.

allegorical treatment of Stalin's ter-

Worldwide Nutrient Tests Raise Hopes of Preventing Cancer

did the country as much good as the limits of the debate and draw- In March he criticized the "exag- By assigning the "services of iming in those conservative elements gerated assessment" of long-sup- perialism" a role in Soviet internal

ment instead of simply removing exposure to car-

Nearly two dozen studies are under way. Al-

Dr. Peter Greenwald, director of the institute's

Division of Cancer Prevention and Control, said

for reducing the incidence of cancer in the United

He said he was encouraged by several small studies that showed chemoprevention could retard

or even reverse changes in cells that precede the

Dr. Greenwald emphasized, however, that there

was as yet "no proof that nutrients prevent cancer

and no data to justify self-treatment with mitrient

supplements," especially since some of the nutri-

On the other hand, he said he would urge people

ents could cause toxic side effects.

development of cancer.

he believed chemoprevention had "real promise

though they are two to five years from comple

pressed literary works now appearing in print, aligning himself with who have attacked what one called the phenomenon of "Nabokov-

Gorbachev's economic and social reforms and his reputed role in itis," after the Russian emigre writsome of the early efforts to open er Vladimir Nabokov, whose works are now being published in the So-Mr. Ligachev was widely credit-Mr. Ligachev's voice was echoed release the film "Repentance," an by Mr. Chebrikov, who is 64. In a

speech on Sept. 10 he accused the Soviet Union's enemies of trying to and nihilism,"

again raising the specter of links between criticism and subversion, dissent and treason.

Some Moscow intellectuals view these statements by top leaders with concern, bordering on alarm, while others see them as a natural extension of lower-level debates at public meetings, in the press and among increasingly fractious liter-

"People here are so used to seejusting to a mix of voices," said a young Soviet scholar.

Mr. Ligachev has been more visi-See RIVALS, Page 4

vitamin-mineral combination.

Patients who have been treated for one cancer.

In Italy, 5,000 women who have had cancer in one

breast are testing a synthetic form of vitamin A to

see if it might prevent cancer from arising in the

other breast. In New Hampshire 1,200 people who

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Reagan Exhorts Bonn, Tokyo to **Show Courage in Growth Policy**

By Hobart Rowen

WASHINGTON - President Ronald Reagan, capitalizing on his decision to sign legislation Tuesday reinstating U.S. budget deficit targets, called on West Germany and nomic reform and adjustment," and "new initiatives to promote the Japun to show "the same political gumption" by taking steps to stim-ulate their economies.

In an address to the 42d annual joint meeting of the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund, Mr. Reagan said he had made "a tough decision" in signing the bill, which will breathe new life into congressional efforts to balance the U.S. budget,

The measure requires that the budget deficit be reduced by \$23 billion in fiscal 1988. Mr. Reagan signed the bill even though he objected to portions that could result in tax increases or cuts in the military budget. (Story, Page 6.)

"It should be seen as a signal that America is not backing down from its responsibilities," he said, referring to the effect that the budget delicit has on the global economy. "But having made this decision, I call on the surplus countries to do the same: to find the political gamption to stimulate their economies without reigniting the fires of

inflation." he said. Mr. Reagan thereby endorsed a similar request by the IMF and World Bank for expansionary policies in West Germany and Japan. Some of those calls have been rejected by authorities in Bonn and Tokyo as impossible, or counter-

But the president argued that "as U.S. budget and trade deficits decline, other countries must pick up the slack, particularly on imports

from developing countries." Mr. Reagan's detailed speech, "The huge debt burden carried which focused on the benefits of in the Third World is not just their market-oriented free societies, was problem; it is our problem," he well received by the delegates from said. "And today let us pledge: We 151 countries. His main themes were the need to oppose protecwill solve it together." By asserting that "there are no tionism to go farther in solving Third World debt and to provide easy answers or quick fixes." Mr.

more money for the World Bank. Barber B. Conable Jr., president of the World Bank, and Michel sus, managing director of ing one line coming from the top the IMF, called separately for new But as the process of glasnost force "individual representatives of ing one line coming from the top the IMF, called separately for new moves forward, Mr. Ligachev has the artistic intelligentsia into the that they are having difficulty admoney and fresh initiatives to cope

debt crisis. Mr. Camdessus said that the

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benefits with the debtor countries. fund "must stand ready" to modify Volcker to Advise Bank

Mr. Conable said Tuesday that Paul A. Volcker, who stepped down as Federal Reserve Board chairman in August, would advise the World Bank on international

debt issues, Reuters reported.

Error Puts Computer in **Soviet Hands**

By Susan F. Rasky and David E. Sanger New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - A U.S. caport control blunder has let a Sixiet-owned company in West Germany obtain a powerful computer

that Defense Department officials insist is a risk to U.S. security. Just how serious a mistake was made, or whether any breach of national security occurred at all, is in dispute among government ex-perts on technology transfer, and it has provoked a battle within the

administration. The dispute centers on a disagreement between the Commerce Department, which administers export control laws, and the Defense Department over what policies

govern the export of sensitive equipment to the 100 or so Sovietowned companies in the West. The dispute is perhaps the most

bitter episode in a long-running fend between the departments over export controls. It underscores differences in the way the United States and its allies treat exports to the East bloc, and U.S. officials fear it may undercut efforts by the United States to press its allies to adopt more stringent export controls after the Toshiba scandal. The company caught in the mid-

dle of the bureaucratic tangle is the world's largest computer maker, International Business Machines Corp., which had agreed to sell one of its mainframe computers to Transnautic GmBH, a Soviet-controlled company in West Germany,

While the Commerce and Defense departments argued over whether the sale should go through, the Commerce Department inadvertently allowed the shipment of a similar Japanese-made computer to the company. It came under Commerce jurisdiction because the

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Exodus Remembered

NEW YORK -Tens of thousands of people in

the United States and abroad are taking nutrient

supplements in unusual experiments that, if suc-

cessful, will usher in a new era in the war against

The goal of the studies, most of which are

sponsored by the National Cancer Institute, is to determine whether nutrients can be used like drugs

to ward off the development of cancer, especially in high-risk individuals such as eigarette smokers

Although there have been numerous public

health recommendations to modify diet to prevent

cancer, all represent educated guesses based on

The new effort is the first scientific attempt to

population studies, not rigorous research findings.

prevent cancer by intervening with active treat-

and people with premalignant lesions.

Jews Gather to Mark 1947 Odyssey That Helped Force Israel's Creation

By Glenn Frankel Washington Part Service HAIFA, Israel — The sun had

just risen but it was already hot in the south of France, Noah Klieger remembers, when people started nling out of trucks and into the improbable vessel of their deliverance, a decrepit Chesapeake Bay cruise ship called the President Warfield.

They were European Jews, most of them survivors of the Nazi death camps, people with no papers, no passports and no place to go. There were 4,554 of them, in-

cluding 1,732 women and 955 children, and they had only one destination in mind: Palestine. By nightfall, the President Warfield was steaming in that direction with British warships on its tail and a new name, the Exodus, on its bow.

"We thought we were just another blockade runner trying to make our way to the Land of Israel," said Mr. Klieger, a crew member on that fateful July 1947 voyage. "But then history took us over."

The voyage turned into a twomonth odyssey when the British refused to allow the ship to land. In the process, the Exodus be-

came a world-renowned symbol of Jewish longing for a homeland and the last symbolic nail in the coffin of British colonial rule. Eight months later, the state of Israel was

Monday night, as part of a yearlong celebration to honor the 40th anniversary of the voyage of the Exodus, hundreds of passengers, crew members and others involved in the Jewish independence movement gathered in Tel Aviv for a festive assembly in an auditorium whose stage was designed to resemble the ship. Government ministers and politicians toasted the aging

Earlier Monday, though, there was a more modest and bittersweet remion aboard a small excursion boat in Haifa, a port city that was the destination of the original Exo-

As the boat wound its way from Haifa to Tel Aviv on a sentimental voyage, members of the Exodus crew joined 130 young Jews, most of them from the United States, to talk about the veterans' experiences and to mourn, in passing, the loss of the Zionisi idealism that drove

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among them vitamins A, C, E and B-12, folic acid, beta-carotene, selenium and fiber.

Evidence points only to a possible preventive

role of nutrient supplements, not to any ability to cure existing cancers.

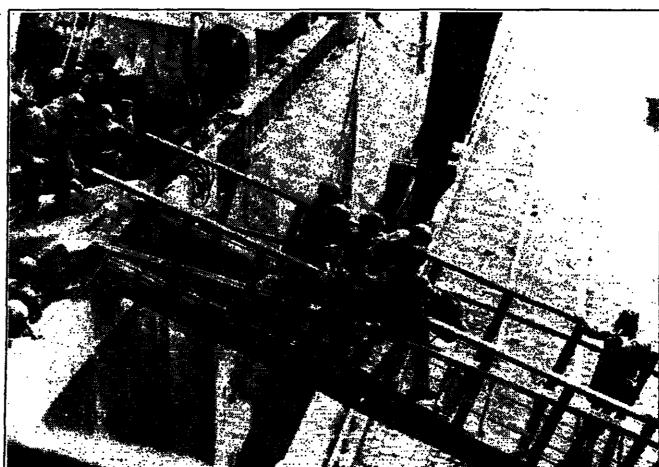
There are four types of studies under way, involving different groups of people:

to increase their consumption of foods rich in the nutrients believed to have anti-cancer properties,

heart disease can be lowered. In Finland, 19,000

see if either can prevent lung cancer. High-risk individuals. Asbestos workers who smoke and have evidence of asbestos-caused lung damage are testing the ability of beta-carotene and Among the cancers that these various nutrients might help thwart are cancers of the lung, breast, cervix, bladder, colon, esophagus, stomach and vitamin A to prevent lung cancer and mesothelio-ma, a cancer that arises in the wall of the chest or • Individuals with precancerous lesions. In China, in an area where the death rate from esophage-al cancer is extraordinarily high, people with cell abnormalities in the esophagus are testing a multi-

Large populations of healthy individuals. In the United States, 23,000 male physicians are test-ing supplements of beta-carotene either alone or with aspirin to see if the incidence of cancer and



Jewish refugees being taken from a British ship in Hamburg after the Exodus was prevented from landing in Israel.

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Rebutting Article, Yale President Says It Is Not 'a Gay School'

By Nick Ravo

New York Times Service

NEW HAVEN. Connecticut - A sternly worded. three-page letter from the president of Yale University has been sent to 2,000 volunteer fund raisers, rebutting an article in The Wall Street Journal depicting Yale as "a gay school"

An official with the Yale Alumni Fund said the letter was sent to assuage angered alumni and poten-tial donors who had contacted Yale after the article appeared Aug. 4 on The Journal's Leisure and Arts

"Alumni were calling up and going Is this Yale?" or "How could The Wall Street Journal print something like this?" " the official said.

The article, under the headline "'Lipsticks' and Lords: Yale's New Look," was an impressionistic first-person essay by a free-lance writer, Julie V. Iovine, who described how the 284-year-old university had changed since she graduated in 1977. Though much of the essay dealt with fraternities and campus who are high-fashion "radical-chic lesbians," and

party rituals, in the first third it stated that "suddenly, Yale has a reputation as a gay school."

Yale's president, Benno C. Schmidt Jr., attacked the article as "journalistic drivel" and dismissed its Yaleturned-gay theme as an impression from a few students extrapolated into "an extremely misleading picture of the student body."

Raymond Sokolov, the editor of The Journal's Lei-sure and Arts page, defended the article as a personal view of someone who has lived in the community for the last 10 years. He also pointed out that it appeared on one of the newspaper's three opinion pages.
"I stand by Ms. Iovine's story," he said. "I'm sorry

Mr. Schmidt didn't like it." Ms. Iovine's thesis is based on her insights as a part-

time New Haven resident and on three interviews she said she conducted with Yale students, one of whom, Sara Cohen, told her that before registering last Sep-tember she had received a "notice" that one in four Yale students was homosexual.

In the article, Ms. Cohen described how lesbians at the school are divided into two factions: "lipsticks,"

"crunchies," described as "granola" lesbians with "old-fashioned utopian ideas about feminism." Male homosexuals are dismissed as "assimilationists" who "don't want to draw attention to their

Besides the tone of the essay, Yale students and officials, both heterosexual and homosexual, have criticized Ms. Iovine for interviewing only three per-

sons and for not double-checking their assertions. In his letter, dated Sept. 17. Mr. Schmidt said no one at Yale had knowledge of a mailing stating that 25 percent of Yale's 10,000 students were homosexual. He also added that no one knew how many gay students attended Yale, and that a 1986 survey in The Yale Daily News stated that 3 percent of the males

and 1 percent of the women in 11 of the university's 12

colleges were homosexual. "I can understand your concern about the nonsense," Mr. Schmidt wrote in the letter, which university officials said was not intended to be made public.
"If I thought there were any truth to the article, I would be concerned, too,'

to paint a hurid picture of this place," the letter stated. "No responsible newspaper would run such a piece by an unknown writer, not a reporter, and without checkng to test for minimal accuracy.

"I know of no one except Ms. Lovine, here or outside the university, who considers Yale a 'gay school,' " the

Ms. Iovine, 32, is working on an article for The Yale Alumni Magazine. She said the reaction to her article "People have been coming up to me and saying, 'You didn't go far enough,' " she said. "It was meant

as a glancing view of a couple of things standing out at Yale from the perspective of someone from 10 years

[Ms. Iovine said Tuesday that she thought the president had reacted unfairly to her article, The Associated Press reported.

["I think the reaction has been really extreme," she said. "He's really taking some low blows. I assume that he's been forced to do that by alumni."]

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2 Kims Fail to Agree on Candidacy

TOKYO (NYT) - A potentially rumous split loomed before South Korea's opposition as its two dominant figures announced that they had failed Tuesday to agree which would be their party's candidate in approaching presidential elections.

Each of the two anti-government leaders, Kim Young Sam and Kim Dae Jung, was said to have insisted during a private meeting that he was the better choice and that the other man should drop out. "We regret we could not agree today on a single candidacy, which is the people's ardent they said in a joint statement.

Neither showed a willingness to compromise to achieve their often-stated goal of uniting behind a single candidate to defeat the government party's choice, Roh Tae Woo. Unity between them is considered critical if hey hope to beat Mr. Roh in the first freely held presidential elections in South Korea in 16 years.

The impasse guaranteed that the two Kims would not meet their seif. imposed deadline of Sept. 30 for reaching agreement. It also increased the chances that they would go their separate ways, with both running thereby effectively splitting their Reunification Democratic Party. The elections are likely to be held in mid-December.

Police Raid Hamburg Computer Club

HAMBURG (Reuters) - West German and French police have raided the Hamburg computer club whose members asserted they had broken into a top-secret U.S. computer network, the Hamburg state-

prosecutors office said Tuesday.

A spokesman said that officers of the computer crime division, the federal criminal bureau and French police on Monday searched the headquarters of the Hambury Chaos Computer Club and the apartments of three members.

Several research centers and companies, including the European Nuclear Research Center in Geneva and the French subsidiary of the Dutch electronics company Philips NV, had asked for legal action to be taken against the club, he said. Data in their computer systems had either been changed or erased.

Israel and China Set High-Level Talks

JERUSALEM (Combined Dispatches) - Foreign Minister Shimon Peres will meet this week in New York with his Chinese counterpart, Wu Xneqian, in the highest-level contacts ever between the two countries, the Foreign Ministry announced Tuesday.

A ministry official who asked not to be named said that Mr. Peres and Mr. Wu would meet Wednesday at the Chinese mission to the United Nations and would discuss bilateral relations and the Middle East peace process. Under a proposal backed by Mr. Peres, China and other permanent members of the UN Security Council would take part in an international Middle East neace conference. However. Mr. Peres has said that China must establish diplomatic ties with Israel before it can attend the con-

In the last few months, there have been several low-level contacts between the two countries. abroad said they had been paralleled by rapid growth in discreet (AP, Reuters)



Wu Xneqian

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For the Record President Habib Bourgsiba of Tunisia named Abdelmalek Laarif head of the governing Destourian Socialist Party on Tuesday in one of several government changes aimed at dealing with Moslem fundamentalist

Israel's prime minister, Yitzhak Shamir, said Tuesday that a visit next month by the U.S. secretary of state, George P. Shultz, would not persuade him to accept an international Middle East peace conference. Israeli officials said Mr. Shultz's surprise decision to visit the Middle East

TRAVEL UPDATE

California Bans Smoking on Flights

LOS ANGELES (WP) — Governor George Deukmejian of California has signed legislation banning smoking on airline flights that begin and end in California. The first law of its kind in the United States, it is seen as a psychological boost to an intense campaign for a national ban.

The law, passed by large margins in both bouses of the state legislature.

takes effect Jan. I and applies to the San Francisco to Los Angeles an corridor, the busiest in the country. But experts expect it to be tested first

The law also bans smoking on bus and train trips within the state and in 75 percent of the space in airports and other public transit centers.

Aeroflot, the Soviet sirline, and Aer Lingus of Ireland signed an agreement Tuesday to schedule direct flights between their countries. The two companies also agreed to extend the use of each other's airports as transit points for routes to other destinations.

Correction

An article in Monday's editions misidentified Britain's chancellor of the exchequer, Nigel Lawson. Mr. Lawson has not been awarded a

Fijian Coup Leader Decides to Leave Commonwealth, Declare a Republic

monwealth group of nations.

The move by Lieutenant Colonel Sitiveni Rabuka drew criticism second in Fiji since May. from Britain, including a rare public intervention from Queen Elizabeth II, as well as Australia, which announced a suspension of aid, and

dependent for 17 years, represented by her governor-general, Sir

Italian Impostor Unmasked

ALESSANDRIA, Italy - A 40years as a brain surgeon at a state

Reuters

But Colonel Raduka salu in the LONDON — The colonel who heavily guarded capital of Suva coup. The queen, through a Bucking-that he would soon abolish the contract of the post of the Palace spokesman, said she aliminating the post of the led a coup on Fiji announced plans that he would soon abolish the con-Tuesday to declare a republic tak-stitution, eliminating the post of ing the territory out of the Com- governor-general and the judiciary. It was his first news conference

He angered fellow Commonwealth nations, sensitive on race issues, by declaring that he staged the second coup to ensure permanent political supremacy for ethnic The queen has been head of state Fijians, slightly outnumbered by in Fiji, a former British colony in- ethnic Indians in the population of 714,000 in the island chain.

moved itself from the Commonwealth, had broken ties with the queen and become a de facto republic, Colonel Rabuka replied:

De facto, yes." The new administration did not recognize the authority of the year-old Italian worked for 10 queen's governor-general, he said. Britain condemned his plan to

couver, British Columbia, on Oct. The Commonwealth's secretarygeneral, Sir Shridath Ramphal, said in a radio interview that this

onel Rabuka's administration. As well as direct economic aid. the Commonwealth provides scienports Fiji's interests in world eco-

The Commonwealth secretariat. the organization's London headquarters said it refused to recognize Colonel Rabuka's authority.

In Canberra, the Australian foreign minister, Bill Hayden, said Fiji. But he has already ruled out trade or economic sanctions as in-

In Wellington, New Zealand's foreign minister, Russell Marshall. said New Zealand would not recognize Colonel Rabuka as the legitimate authority.

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Colonel Sitiveni Rabuka, Fiji's military leader, greeted a Fijian soldier, an etimic Indian, Tuesday as soldiers returned from peacekeeping duties with UN forces in the Middle East.

CANCER: Nutrients Tested in Hopes for Prevention

(Continued from Page 1) have had a malignant polyp removed from the colon or rectum are testing the ability of beta-carotene or vitamins C and E to prevent

the promise shown in earlier pilot

studies, they will cause quite a revo- ing esophagus and stomach canlution in thinking in this area," said cers. Dr. John S. Bertram, director of basic science at the Cancer Research Center of Hawaii.

The use of nutrient supplements in the fight against cancer is an approach long touted by health food enthusiasts. But until recently it was ignored or scorned by the

Numerous studies during the last prove useful as chemopreventive decade suggested, however, that dietary factors could significantly influence the risk of developing cer- aging material of dry cereals, has on cancers. example, smokers whose diets were deficient in foods rich in vitamin A or beta-carotene, which is the plant form of vitamin A, were found to be more likely to develop lung cancer, and low vitamin C intake was different chemicals that might do linked to increased risk of develop-

Turkey Expected

U.S. designed F-16 fighters to tive cancer drugs.
boost defenses on NATO's southeastern flank, aviation sources said method of preventing cancer is to

inhibit the development of cancer. Dr. Greenwald said the cancer institute had established a test to identify chemopreventives.
"We've already found about 600

something to influence cancer risk, and 54 of the most promising ones are being further tested this year in animal models," he said. Those that show significant can-

cer-preventing activity in animals To Get F-16s Soon would then be tested for toxicity to see which might be safe to try in Reusers

people. This approach is comparable to that used in the highly sucelivery next month of its first cessful program to identify effec-

gan to unravel the long and com-

plex process by which cancers arise

in people, it seemed possible and

logical to try to intervene chemical-

ly to disrupt the progression from

In addition to nutrients, various

drugs and food additives might

agents. For example, the preserva-

tive BHT, often added to the pack-

normal to malignant.

remove the sources of exposure to Turkey has ordered 160 of the carcinogens, for example, by stop-jets to replace aging U.S. F-4, F-5 and F-104 jets in frontline squad-rons. The first eight will be deliv-we'll never be able to remove from ered from the United States and the the environment all cancer-causing remainder produced in a U.S.- substances. In those cases, if che-Turkish joint venture at Turkey's moprevention works out, maybe Murted Air Base, east of Ankara, we can alter the consequences of

Mr. Behrens' account.

BLUNDER: U.S. Error Allows Soviet-Owned Company to Buy Computer

(Continued from Page 1)

Japanese computer was shipped through a U.S. company. Pentagon officials contend that

sending the computer to Transnautic was tantamount to sending it directly to the Soviet Union. "This is an egregious case, and the Defense Department discov-ered it almost accidentally," said Fred C. Ikle, an undersecretary of

Interviews with industry officials in the United States and in Europe, however, including officials of Transnantic, east serious doubt on

the Pentagon's arguments that U.S. security has been compromised. The case began in September 1986 when IBM Germany applied to the Commerce Department for a license to ship a Model 4381 mainframe. The machine's technology is five years old but it is among the more powerful IBM computers. The application listed Transnautic, which owned a smaller version of the 4381, as the customer.

Officials of Transnautic, a shipping company based in Hamburg, said they viewed the computer ansaction as a routine West-to-nation against customers.

"It quickly became clear that we "As long as I have worked at this might have to answer in civil transaction as a routine West-to-

company, 10 or 11 years, we have court," said Mark Holcomb, an

had computers from IBM, regular-ly replacing them with more mod-IBM appealed the Commerce rn or up-to-date ones," said Klaus
Behrens, the managing director.
The computers, he said, have
never left West Germany, and were
This appealed the Commerce
Department's action. Again the
Defense Department was consulted, and again it recommended donying the license. Pentagon offi-

frequently serviced by IBM technicials say they assumed the matter cians. "There was never the least was then closed.

were actually in the Soviet Union."
That policy, Mr. Freedenberg added, is unique among the Western allies, which generally treat sales to Soviet-owned companies in the West the way they treat sales to

adopted in early 1986 "we have a ble position.

Western-owned companies.
Under the new rules, IBM's application was sent to the Pentagon, which urged that the shipment be stopped. In February the Commerce Department sent IBM a "negative consideration" letter, warning it that the application might be denied.

Meanwhile, Transnautic was

growing angry at the delay, warning IBM Germany that by refusing to deliver the 4381 the company was on the verge of violating West German law prohibiting discrimination

problem," he said. IBM confirmed IBM's previous exports, however, occurred before a change in Commerce Department rules. Paul the sale was perfectly legal under Freedenberg, assistant secretary of commerce for trade administrative for trade administrativ tion, said that under regulations the Bonn government in an untena-

policy on Soviet-owned companies, Mr. Freedenberg said he tried to work out a licensing arrangement which is to treat them as if they that would satisfy U.S. security concerns by requiring additional monitoring of the equipment by IBM personnel and the West German government. On June 10, the Commerce Department granted IBM Germany the license, without

notifying the Pentagon. "I acted unilaterally," Mr. Freedenberg said. "I thought it was a reasonable deal." He noted that Pentagon review of such licenses is man company.

have the path cleared. But "when we went back to Transnautic, we discovered we had already lost the business," Mr. Holcomb said.

In accordance with U.S. law, Na. Soviet airline. tional Advanced Systems had applied for a license to ship the com- any West German company, was

During the appeal, however, Mr. nautic was not described on the Freedenberg said, the United application as a Soviet-controlled company and the license was ap-

proved with no questions asked. In a heated meeting at the White House last week, attended by officials from Commerce, Defense, the National Security Council, the intelligence agencies and the Customs Service, Mr. Freedenberg acknowledged that the Commerce Department had erred in failing to recognize Transnautic's ownership.

■ Soviet-German Company

The Soviet Ministry of Maritime Fleet owns 51 percent of Transnat-tic, the International Herald Tribune reported. The rest of the conpany's capital is West German. Transnantic is registered under West German law as a West Ger-

matter of discretion.

IBM officials were relieved to ave the path cleared. But "when are Soviet citizens.

Founded 13 years ago, it employs 350 persons, of whom three are Soviet citizens.

About 10 years ago it bought an IBM mainframe to help manage its routine shipping business, said Manfred Schiel, manager for finan-Transnautic was preparing to install an IBM-compatible AS-8043 mainframe from National Advanced Systems, a subsidiary of National Semiconductor Corp. The \$1.2 million machine, though sold under National's label, is made by Hitachi Corp. of Japan.

Mr. Schiel said Transnautic, like puter while IBM's dispute with the subject to West German Isw Commerce Department was pending. Commerce officials say Trans-nology to the Soviet bloc.

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would be deeply saddened if longheld bonds of loyalty and affection since Friday's military takeover, his between the Fijian people and the monarchy were to be severed. "Her majesty hopes that even now the process of restoring Fiji to constitutional authority might be resumed," a palace statement said.

By declaring a republic, Fiji would automatically exclude itself from the Commonwealth unless, like India, it could get unanimous Asked if Fiji had effectively re- support for readmission. Commonwealth leaders are to meet in Van-

support would be unlikely for Col-

tific and legal advisers and supnomic organizations like the International Monetary Fund.

Australia would not recognize any government proclaimed by Colonel Rabuka and would suspend aid to

the formation of additional polyps. "If these larger studies confirm

AMERICAN TOPICS

Chicago Is Haunted By Ghost of Capone

Al Capone went to prison more than half a century ago, but an unending flow of books, arti-cles, television dramas and films, including the current hit movie "The Untouchables," has kept the world aware of Chicago's eangland days.

Neal Ball of the Chicago tourist bureau says this "bang-bang" image is keeping foreign tourists away. Chicago draws barely 300,000 international travelers a year, about 10 percent as many as New York.

Mr. Ball says part of the problem may be Chicago's mid-conti-nent location. But he told The New York Times that Chicago should either put its bang-bang image "behind us, or let's package it." He says, "When the Jap-anese go to Texas" to see cow-boys. "Texas shows them cowboys. The least we can do in Chicago is have a museum of crime and corruption."

Mayor Harold Washington himself says with a grin that he longs for the day that people who "Al Capone - rat-a-tatwhen they meet someone from Chicago will ask instead,

Short Takes

Four of the five largest U.S. fast-food operations - McDonald's, Burger King, Kentucky Fried Chicken and Wendy's have agreed to stop using con-tainers made with chlorofluoroearbons, chemicals that scientists say hurt the Earth's ozone layer. The environmental group Friends of the Earth said only the Roy Rogers chain had not responded to its appeal.

A defense attorney for Bern-hard H. Goetz, New York's socalled subway vigilante, said the city probation department had nended a sentence of no prison time for his client. Mr. Goetz, 39, was convicted in June of a felony gun charge, which carries a maximum seven-vear sentence, but was cleared in the 1984 shooting of four teen-agers. He said he thought they were going to rob him. The probation report is not binding but often carries considerable weight. Sentencing is set for Oct. 7.

The rich and the noor give proportionately more to charity than the middle class, according to an



JURY AWARD IN SLASHING - Maria Hanson, a New York model, was awarded \$78 million in damages by a jury in Manhattan for a razor attack last year in which her face was permanently scarred. Her two attackers, however, and the man who was convicted of hiring them said they had no money to pay Ms. Hanson.

academic study in which the U.S. Treasury participated. An analysis of federal tax returns for

1971-75 showed that taxpayers making \$5,000 to \$10,000 a year gave 3.5 percent of that to chariy. Those earning \$20,000 to \$50,000 gave 2.2 percent while those with incomes of \$1 million or more averaged 6.4 percent. The industrial city of Bridgeport, Connecticut, held an essay

contest on its tourist attractions. such as they are, and awarded first prize, a free weekend in town, to Jim Bahoosh, who wrote, "Picnies in a field of waist-high wildflowers? Telling lies by firelight in the midst of cascading mountains? Slipping upstream, ankles icy, sun soaking into your tanned shoulders? Hah! No way. This is allergy season. Send me someplace where nothing grows. Send me to Bridgeport.

Notes About People

Elizabeth Taylor is the star of a \$10 million promotional campaign for a new perfume, "Eliza-beth Taylor's Passion," by Parfums International of New York. Miss Taylor, 55, who has been married seven times, was asked at a Washington promotion, "What made you decide to get into the Passion business?" The actress replied, "I've been in that a long time. You mean the per-

Alexander M. Haig Jr., who is seeking the Republican presi-dential nomination, presented Washington reporters with Chinese fortune cookies. Inside were such messages as "Cookie is Delectable, Haig is Electable" and "Your Next Visit with Al and Pat Haig will be at 1600 Penn. Ave,," the address of the White House. - ARTHUR HIGBEE

Israeli Request Called Key to U.S.-Iran Arms Deals

1985, the White House secretly ap-proved an Israeli request to send Iran a one-time shipment of artillery shells or artillery pieces to be- it." gin what eventually grew into the Iran-contra affair, according to tesare investigating committees.

In closed-door testimony that

Washington Post Service

WASHINGTON — In May ing, told him of Iran's request for the military equipment but that make the military equipment but that "Peres would not do this unless he "Peres would not do this unless he had explicit American approval for At the time, U.S. policy, under

vas made public Monday, a former

that then-Prime Minister Shimon Peres of Israel, in a May 1985 meet-

Operation Staunch, was to discourtimony released by the House-Senate investigating committees.

age the sale of arms to Iran in hopes of getting that country to agree to

National Security Council consulthe committees, Robert C. McFar-

security adviser, told him "to in-fired, the Israelis were discussing form the Israelis that that was with him the possible use of profits okay, but just that one shipment from the sales to pay an Iranian and nothing else."
Two months later, however, ac-

cording to Mr. Ledeen's account, another israeli representing Mr. Peres talked to him about a suggestion that U.S.-made TOW missiles could be sold to Iran as part of a plan to release U.S. hostages held in Lebanon and establish a new end the Iran-Iraq war.

in Lebanon and establish a new Within a week. Mr. Ledeen told relationship between Tehran and

By October, Mr. Ledeen testi-

small arms, automatic rifles and possibly silencers so that he could protect him and his allies." Later that month, Mr. Ledeen said, the Israeli gave him a Swiss

handle these expenses. Mr. Ledeen's testimony, given to the committees in four days of closed-door questioning, provided other new details on how the Iran

bank account number to be used to

government. He said the Iranian middleman in the deal, Manucher

Ghorbanifar, had paid the official

\$300,000 from his share of the first

Mr. Ledeen described as wanting

to change the Iranian regime by parliamentary means, asked for

In addition, the official, whom

arms sales.

arms initiative began.

The disclosures include Mr. Lesion, the ailing CIA director nod-ded in affirmation. deen's recollection that Mr. Mrs. Casey has disputed the ac-McFariane told him twice that President Ronald Reagan had apcount, saying she and other family proved the initial Israeli shipmer

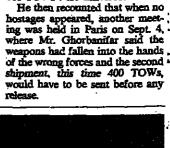
of U.S.-made TOWS before they of the wrong forces and the second were sent. Mr. Reagan told the re-shipment, this time 400 TOWs, view board headed by former Sena- would have to be sent before any tor John G. Tower that he could release.

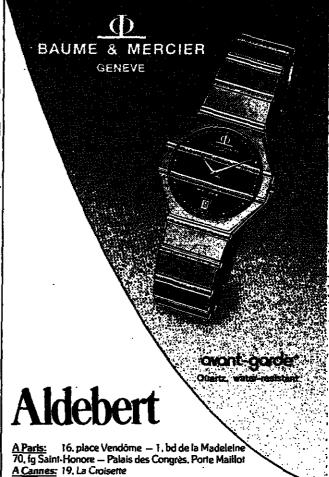
not remember when he approved the deal, and his chief of staff at the time, Donald T. Regan, has testi-fied that the president did not learn of the shipments until after they had occurred and the Reverend Benjamin Weir, a hostage, was re-

Mr. Ledeen insisted to the committee that after the initial arms shipment, he opposed the idea of arms for hostages but could not get other officials to back that stance. He said William J. Casey, then the CIA director, told him in December 1985 that although he agreed it was important to work to change. the Tehran government, "We have

to do the hostage matter first."

He also told how he met with David Kimche, director of the Israeli foreign ministry, on Aug. 20, 1985, to work out codes for use in delivery of hostages after the first 100 TOWs were delivered.





Weinberger Doubts CIA Book Claim

WASHINGTON — Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger said Tuesday that he did not be-lieve that Bob Woodward could have had a sickbed interview with William J. Casey, the late CIA director, as described in Mr. Woodward's book on the agency.

"I telephoned from time to time to the hospital," Mr. Weinberger said, adding that Mr. Casey's wife, Sophia, "would always tell me that it was not possible for Bill to talk but that she knew he would appre-ciate the fact that I called."

"The security, not only of his wife and family who were there with him all the time, but of the CIA itself, which is very close and very tight. I think that would've

sible," Mr. Weinberger said on an of the CIA, 1981-1987," which ABC television news program. went on sale Monday, Mr. Woodwent on sale Monday. Mr. Wood-Mr. Casey's daughter, Bernaward said that when he asked Mr. dette Casey Smith, appearing on Casey if he had known of the diverthe same show, said Mr. Woodward "never got the deathbed confession" concerning Mr. Casey's in-

volvement in the Iran-contra affair.

Mr. Woodward's assertion that Mr. Casey knew about the diversion of Iran arms sales profits to the Nicaragnan rebels also was questioned by a doctor quoted in a Washington Times newspaper arti-cle published Tuesday. The doctor reportedly said Mr. Casey was so impaired after his brain surgery that he could not have responded

to Mr. Woodward's questions. Mr. Woodward, an assistant made that kind of thing just impos- his book, "VEIL: The Secret Wars tal.

members were with him 24 hours a day while he was hospitalized and that Mr. Woodward did not speak with him. Mr. Casey died in May. "I stand by everything in the book," Mr. Woodward said Sun-

day, "including the visit I made to Casey's hospital room when I talked to him as described." Mr. Woodward has said he was able to enter Mr. Casey's room managing editor of The Washing-ton Post, describes the interview in at Georgetown University Hospiat Georgetown University Hospi-

Poland Rejects U.S. Call for Change

By John Tagliabue New York Times Service

WARSAW - Poland on Tuesday flatly rebuiled U.S. urgings that it take steps toward economic and political pluralism, such as establishing independent trade unions, as a way of improving relations between the two countries.

Jerzy Urban, the government spokesman, rejected the idea that applying Western economic models would aid Poland.

"We are realistic," Mr. Urban said at his weekly news conference. "We know the dramatic economic situation prevailing in other politi-cally and geographically close allies of the United States, who are applying American political solutions, such as political pluralism, and who have economic systems similar to the United States.

The rebuttal of the U.S. appeal, which was delivered Monday by Vice President George Bush in a live, uncensored television appearance, followed a U.S. decision to

ment regarded Western assurances political system.
on its debt as "a first step on a Asked wheth constructive road," Mr. Urban said: "We are not asking for help, we are only asking for the normal treatment of Poland in internation- her the times when such phyralism al economic cooperation."

The clear public rejection came and union pluralism existed.

even before Mr. Bush left Poland. Referring to the short-The vice president spent the day touring sites near Kracow,

At a news conference Tuesday morning, Mr. Bush summarized the moving forward." In his television appearance, Mr.

Bush linked further improvement steps toward political and economic change, including the establishment of "self-governing organiza-tions" for "the protection of disappointment over its failure to workers' interests.

At his news conference, Mr. Us- aid in obtaining loans.

help reschedule debt to Western ban said Poland envisaged the es-covernments. ban said Poland envisaged the es-tablishment of "socialist plural-Noting that the Polish govern- ism" within its economic and

> Asked whether such pluralism would permit reinstatement of in-Bush urged, he said, "We rememwas set up in Poland, in the 1980s.

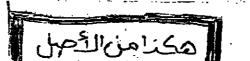
Referring to the short-lived flourishing of Solidarity, he said: This concrete experience is an experience that we assess negatively.

"The development of political experience of his four-day visit by life in Poland and of socialist plusaying he had "the distinct feeling ralism," he said, "will not travel the that Poland has come out of a very road of resurrecting the long-dead difficult time, and that things are political structures of 1980 and 1981, and particularly those that conducted confrontational policies and created for the country the in U.S.-Polish ties to meaningful dramatic situation that made it necessary to impose martial law."

The government's rejection of disappointment over its failure to elicit a stronger commitment for

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drei D. Sakharov.

"Usually you get the same spiel," said Nigel Broskarsh, 25, a social worker from London. "You get some guy from the Jewish Agency

telling you what to think."

Mr. Klieger is pessimistic. "People are so cynical about Ziouism and about Israel," he said. This trip won't change anything."
Still, he smiled when he recalled the incredible days 40 years ago when a seeming defeat — the fail-ure of the Exodus to clude the Brif-

into a major victory.

"If we had succeeded in doing what we set out to do, we would ister named François Mitterrand have disappeared into history," is announced that the government said. "Instead out of sheet luck." would not force the passengers to failed and we became what we are

ish ships and get to Haifa - turned.

Schroeder Explains Decision on '88

DENVER — Representative Paher late start, some voters' bias against women candidates and slower than hoped-for fund raising all played a part in her decision not into that process." to seek the 1988 Democratic presidectial nomination.

Speaking on the "CBS Morning News." Mrs. Schroeder, of Colorado, said that the money troubles stemmed from her late emergence a woman. I don't care who she is,' as a potential candidate, rather than being a woman.

However, she also said she had realized from public-opinion sur- slow, or not as fast as you'd like, veys that there was a core of voters you can't jump-start the campaign, who would never accept a woman

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"I think the bottom line is this: Mrs. Schroeder did not anPeople keep forgetting it's not one nounce her support for another and military families, the latter be-

whole really incredibly convoluted had time to think about it. tricia Schroeder said Tuesday that delegate system, of which there are

Schroeder said:

and you're starting late on top of that, and then you don't — the money comes in but it's coming in and that's exactly what we've asked at the very beginning."

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man, one vote," she said. "It's this candidate, saying that she had not

The senior woman in Congress papers stacked to the ceiling trying whose biting wit hit some of the to figure out how to do it in each Democratic candidates as often as state. And it's really too late to get it did President Ronald Reagan, into that process." On being the only woman among not enter the race because "I could both parties' hopefuls, Mrs. not figure out how to run and not

Mrs. Schroeder, 47, who pinned "If you start with a hard core the term "Tellon president" on Mr. that say, No way. I'll never vote for Reagan and who has referred to the announced Democratic contenders as "a bowl of unset Jell-O," urged her supporters to "build on gains

we have made and not lose them." Pat Murphy, the president of the New Hampshire chapter of the Na-tional Organization for Women, said that Mrs. Schroeder had ap-

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Patricia Schroeder

cause of her efforts in their behalf as a member of the House Armed Services Committee.

"She attracts people who are not traditional Democratic Party activists," Ms. Murphy said.

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"At Lufthansa, you never stop learning."

LONDON - Soviet political of immates remained harsh and arbitrary, the report said. "Prisoners were kept on monoto-

prisoners face harsh treatment and grueling labor in camps and pris-ons despite Mikhail S. Gorbachev's nons, meager rations, with only rusocial reforms, the human rights dimentary medical care and had to group Amnesty International said meet excessively high work targets Wednesday in its annual report.

The organization's report for Soviet judicial officials have 1986 also criticizes the United States for sentencing juvenile ofpromised reforms in the country's egal system. Some have hinted that Governments in South America,

a law allowing a 10-year labor camp sentence for "anti-Soviet agi-Asia and Africa have similarly tation" may be eliminated. stepped up the use of capital pun-But Amnesty International said that in 1986 at least 11 people were Executions, amputations, torture imprisoned under the law. Thirty

and detention of political prisoners are widespread in the Middle East others were convicted of the less serious crime of anti-Soviet slan-Iran and Iraq were listed among the worst offenders, with a great number of executions and inhu-The group condemned the use of

the death penalty.

The United States was accused

The organization recorded a of holding at least 32 people under number of cases of storing to sentence of death for murders carried out when they were under 18. death, amputation of fingers, muti-The organization cited the case lation and flogging carried out as forms of judicial punishment," of James Roach, executed in the Amnesty International said of Iran. electric chair in South Carolina for In Iraq there were widespread two murders committed when he was 17. It said that the trial judge arbitrary arrests, the detention of

hundreds of political prisoners and had found that he was mentally

routine torture by the security retarded but that the governor had

refused elemency. China also made widespread use comed moves toward openness in of the death penalty, and local offithe Soviet Union in a year when cials did not shrink from torture Moscow showed a more liberal face and arbitrary brutality, Amnesty

to the West by ending the internal International said. The report referred to a local exile of the dissident physicist, Anparty secretary who was alleged to

Fewer people were arrested for have ordered the torture of 17 vil-

political offenses, but the treatment lagers on suspicion of stealing a luctance by many countries to

Rights Group Accuses Soviet of Prison Abuses

part of his bicycle bell. In South America, Chile's government developed a "new strategy of terror," using undercover squads

to kidnap and kill political opponents, the group said.

grant asylum to refugees It said several Spaniards of Basque origin had been returned to Spain despite their pleas that they were political refugees.
Finland returned Soviet citizens

The Amnesty International re- after they had tried to claim politiport complained of increasing re- cal asylum, the group said.

RIVALS: Conservatives Speak Out

(Continued from Page 1) has been filling in for Mr. Gorba-ture and art. This is an indisputable chev, who had been out of public fact." sight since Aug. 7 until he reap-peared on Tuesday.

In the past month Mr. Ligachev, who as the Communist Party's second secretary behind Mr. Gorbachev oversees the work of the huge party apparatus, has kept his pro-file high, chairing a meeting on problems in the Soviet tea industry, meeting with a leader of France's Socialist Party, speaking to teachers on educational reform and gathering media leaders for a discussion of preparations for the November celebrations of the Soviet

Union's 70th anniversary.
History is a favorite theme of his, and it is on this subject that his remarks have had the most impact. Since early this year he has repeatedly warned against empha only the dark periods of Soviet history while ignoring the achieve-

For Soviet readers, the remarks signal a thinly disguised criticism of the growing public re-examina-tion of Stalinism.

Removing the enduring vestiges of that era is at the heart of Mr. Gorbachev's reforms, in cultural, economic and political areas. The critical assessment of Stalin has broadened recently, going beyond the legacy of his crimes to his creation of a highly centralized system of administration that has become the bane of the Soviet economy. In a speech last month at Elec-

trostal, outside Moscow, Mr. Ligachev again called for a balanced look at the 1930s - the years of Stalin's brutal terror and crash industrialization program.

He attacked the "cult of personality" that had surrounded the Soviet dictator but said; "In those years, the country reached second place in the world in the volume of industrial production, carried out the collectivization of agriculture,

and achieved new heights in culturble than usual in recent weeks. He al development, education, litera-

> Such a defense of Stalinism coming at a time when agricultural collectivization is again being acutely debated, was seen by many as cutting across lines set by Mr. Gorbachev and a newly elevated Politburo member, Alexander N. Yakovlev, who shares responsibility for ideology with Mr. Ligachev. In the speech, Mr. Ligachev also defended the Brezhnev era, now usually referred to in Soviet shorthand as the period of stagnation. He called the Brezhnev years of the 1960s and 1970s a time of progress, particularly in western Siberia,

where he served as party leader. Last week, according to literary sources, Mr. Ligachev rebuked Yegor Yakovlev, editor of the weekly Moskovskiye Novosti, for publishing an obituary of Viktor P. Nekrasov, a writer and dissident who emigrated to Paris.

U.S.-Soviet Talks On Arms Sought

WASHINGTON - Secretary of

Defense Caspar W. Weinberger has invited his Soviet counterpart, Dmitri T. Yazov, to Washington for discussions in early October on arms control and other topics, according to Pentagon officials.

If General Yazov accepts, it will be the first meeting between top military officials of the two super-powers, the Pentagon officials said Monday.

They said no reply had been re-ceived to Mr. Weinberger's Sept. 22 letter to General Yazov. But the officials expect such a meeting to occur because Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze supported the idea during discussions with U.S. officials two weeks ago.

EXODUS: 1947 Voyage Recalled

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impossible and to succeed.

Mr. Klieger, an Anschwitz survivor whose tattooed concentration camp number is still visible on his wrist, was then a romantic 20-yearold looking to book up with a girl-

on Cyprus. Now he is a hard-bitten journalist for Yediot Ahronot, Israel's to the poignancy. largest daily newspaper, and he, too, wonders what happened to the plan," says Mr. Klieger. "It took everything into consideration but one thing — the spirit of 4,500 dresm. The fact that most Jews

Mossad agents purchased the south.

President Warfield in Baltimore in The November 1946. It was named for Solomon Warfield, president of the Old Bay Line and an uncle of Wallis Warfield Simpson, the duchess

ferry navigated the choppy Atlantic and for months wandered from port to port in Europe under the watchful eyes of British intelli-

to be a member of the mostly American crew and was let in on their plan. The idea was to chug slowly toward the Palestine coast, then break loose near Haifa and outrace their British escorts to the

(20 kilometers) from shore, British sailors boarded the Exodus, setting off a pitched battle in which three Jewish crew members were shot to death and hundreds were overcome

passengers finally surrendered and were transported to Haifa, only to be reloaded into three British prison ships and returned to France. Britain wanted France to take back the Jews in order to discour-

age future attempts. But a young French cabinet min-

themselves refused.

leave the ships, and the passengers.

"None but dead men will land

For 19 days the British kept the

A French newspaper dubbed the

Finally, after an emergency Brit-

"The British plan was the right

people from the death camps who

United Nations committee had recommended immediate freedom for

Palestine and its partition between Arabs and Jews. The British left,

and the Arab-Israeli wars began.

As for the passengers of the Exc dus, consigned to two displaced

persons camps in Germany, all eventually made their way to Israel.

within six months of its birth in

Monday's ferry was not much of

overflowing. The young passengers sat listlessly baking in the Mediter-

ranean sun as the boat headed

They are in Israel working on

kibbutzim or attending Hebrewlanguage classes, and many are weighing whether to emigrate to a society whose idealism sometimes

seems to have been overwhelmed

by too many wars, too many promises and an overdose of cynicism.

"We need to find some way to

connect with these kids, to make

them understand what Israel canbe," said Reuben Surkis, an official of the World Zionist Organization,

"We thought if they learned

about the struggle for Jewish inde-

which organized the outing.

didn't even consider giving up." Within a few weeks, a special

them 40 years ago to attempt the

here," said a spokesman. "I was so proud to be part of it," recalled Ephraim Menaker, an Expassengers aboard the ships outodus crew member, who along with his wife, Fira, was on Monday's side Port-de-Bouc in desperately voyage. "I was no Zionist, but I hot, disease-ridden conditions, knew after the war that my place playing a waiting game while world was here in Israel and not anyplace opinion inestorably built against else. At that time, the Jews were looking for a homeland. Today the homeland is looking for Jews."

ships a "Floating Anschwitz." Five-babies were born on board and one ish cabinet meeting, the ships departed for Hamburg. The spectacle of 4,500 Jews being forced to disfriend in a British detention camp embark in Germany, the heartland of the Holocaust nightmare, added

have remained in the diaspora bewilders and angers him. "It was only 40 years ago, but it feels like 4,000," he said. "We created a country, not just for us but for the whole Jewish people, but the whole bloody people doesn't

want us." Answers were easier back in

those days.

The British, rulers of Palestine by mandate since the close of World War I, were weary and about to cut their losses.

May 1948. The ferry rusted in a corner of The Mossad, not the slick Israeli super spy agency of today but a group of ragged, desperate Zionist Haifa's port until it was towed out patriots, was frantically combing the ports of Europe and North to sea and allowed to sink. America for cheap boats for the high-risk run to Palestine. an improvement over that early boat. There was plenty to drink and eat, but the lone toilet soon was

More than 60 eventually made the trip, carrying more than 90,000 Jews, the backbone of the modern Jewish state.

The flat-bottomed, four-decked

gence. Sympathetic French immigration officials in the port of Sete at last allowed the boat to hook up Mr. Klieger was quickly drafted

But the British had other ideas. Six days out of port and 12 miles

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Daugherty, U.S. Football Coach, Dies

such stars as Gene Washington.

Born in Emeigh, Pennsylvania,

Mr. Dangherty grew up in Barnes-boro, Pennsylvania, and attended

Syracuse University, where he played three seasons and was cap-

tain of the team in 1939, when he

Bubba Smith and Clint Jones.

By John Holusha New York Times Service DETROIT - Henry Ford 2d 70, who took over his grandfather's foundering company in 1945 and restored it to profitability, died

much high drama took place before the first time since 1924 that Ford he was 30. World War II had just ended when Henry Ford, backed his mother and a few allies, he was 30. World War II had just

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to an aide, Harry Bennett him, and young Henry's mother ter begin to emerge: Henry the so-threatened to sell her stock in Ford, cial thinker; Henry the swinger; Henry had become a member which was a family-owned business and later. Henry the autocrat. then, unless her son was given control. On Sept. 21, 1945, the elder for his social involvement, for the Henry Ford, 82, retired, and his famous \$5-a-day wage that caught for Henry Ford. There were color-the immediation of the working ful but uncomplimentary stories of

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financial sense. Last year, with riots spread across America in the Henry 2d still exercising power behind the scene as chairman of the riot of 1967, Henry Ford was the outstanding business spokesman outstanding business spokesman recovery from the Edsel debacle by creating the car that caught the riots of a decade: the Mushad beaten GM on the bottom line. ed to curing social ills and trans-

ended when nearly by his mother and a few allies, seized control of the company.

By then his grandfather was probably senile. The grandfather's only son, Henry 2d's father, Edsel, was dead, and one by one, Ford's most competent executives were dismissed. The company was apmost competent executives were enough to challenge from time to thy as his marriage to Anne Modernissed. The company was aptime. Stock was sold, and Ford had Donnell, the mother of his chilpany to his successors.

EAST LANSING, Michigan -

Hugh D. (Duffy) Daugherty, 72, who guided Michigan State Uni-

versity's football program to na-

tional prominence and two Big Ten titles in 19 years with the school,

Nick Vista, the university's

died Friday in California.

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The proaching ruin despite its giant become a modern, publicly owned dren, faded in the late 1950s, particularly after he met Cristina month, and the senior Henry Ford

Yet it was structured so that the Austin, the divorced wife of a Britannian corporation. family, which meant Henry 2d, as it ish naval officer.

had meant his grandfather, main-In 1963, Henry and his wife for-Eventually, the Ford women tained control. And only after the mally separated. In 1964 he was took action. The elder Henry company was re-established did divorced — a large settlement was tained control. And only after the mally separated. In 1964 he was Ford's wife, Clara, put pressure on other sides of Henry Ford's charac- believed to be involved --- and in

Henry had become a member of the jet set and was seen from Aca-His grandfather had been known pulco to the Riviera.

grandson, only 28, took over. the imagination of the working ful but uncomplimentary stories of
The first thing he did was to fire man, for his efforts to unlift the the personal lives of Henry Ford lives of the working class, for his and Cristina. There was a suit by Once Mr. Ford won control, he began the rebuilding, hiring talentreadiness to give jobs to blacks lawyer, charging that Mr. Ford when segregation was a way of life took bribes and used company money as his own. There were troucade. Those who knew said the ism soured The \$5 day turned into burned, automatic transmissions ism soured. The \$5 day turned into

uplift turned into spying on work-ers. Pacifism became associated with his anti-Rooseants with his anti-Roosevelt, pro-Gerto keep his power in the company brought him into conflict with his man feelings as World War II ap-proached, and his friendly attitude aides — a simation not unlike that toward blacks was matched by his at Ford in his grandfather's day. But young Heary wiped the interests might have been, the com-words "bigot" and "anti-labor" pany was his life and his kingdom. from the Ford image. When racial In 1978 he dismissed another

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On May 10, 1979, at the annual ended when Henry Ford, backed by his mother and a few allies, seized control of the company.

But in his early days at the helm forming society. Henry at first shareholders' meeting, Henry Ford to took 10 years of hard work, to stood up for the liberal approach of rebuild Ford into an industrial the foundation's efforts, but he lost executive officer, effective later in

Although he continued as a chairman of the board's finance committee until his death, he large-

Drew (Bundini) Brown

was a senior. He served in the U.S. at Good Samaritan Hospital in Los

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(Bundini) Brown, 57, who worked

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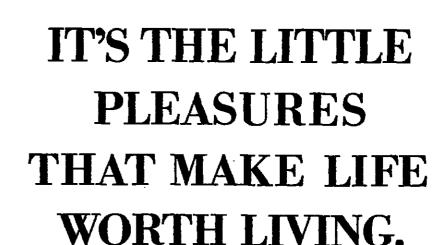
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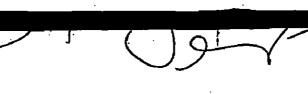
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Amid U.S. Fields of Plenty, a Bare Farm Cupboard

By Keith Schneider New York Times Service

BELLEVILLE, Kansas - Just over the ridge from Larry Baxa's home near this prairie town. a combine chews up rows of corn. filling its bin. The air is heavy with the aroma of freshly cut alfalfa, and a bright sun warms the day as

harvest season begins in northern Kansas. But amid this tableau of plenty, Mr. Baxa, 40, and his three children are hungry. In the Baxas' century-old house, built of thick timbers and designed to shelter a farm family's dreams, the refrigerator and cupboards are often bare.

Like hundreds of farm families in Kansas, and thousands of others scattered across the Middle West, the Baxas are making desperate choices. They are holding off bankers and creditors, and hanging on to their farm by doing without basic needs, including food.

Hunger and malnutrition are a new phenomenon among Kansas farm families, experts say. They believe farm families such as the Baxas are part of a new culture of poverty that has risen in the Middle West since the start of the decade and that may prove to be as permanent as that in Appalachia, the Deep South and parts

of the Southwest.
"Third World conditions have reached the Middle West," said Dr. Comelia Flora, a professor of sociology at Kansas State University in the town of Manhattan. "The malnutrition and hunger we're seeing occur because people cannot earn a living in their own towns and they are too poor to go to the cities."

Joanne Komenda, who coordinates a church food-pantry network to help Nebraska farmers. "We're starting to see goiters and abscessed baby teeth in farm children, which indicates they are not getting adequate nutri-

Mr. Baxa recalled prosperous days in the 1970s when the future looked bright. But subsequently, he said, times became hard and his wife buckled under the stress, divorcing him almost two years ago. "The kids aren't getting enough to eat," he said. "There's times when my youngest says to

me, 'Daddy, I'm hungry.' " "I'm working like a dog and I still don't have any money," said Mr. Baxa, a corn and sor- Middle West is not known. State officials and and frequently it is not nearly enough.

\$5,000 a year.

Mr. Baxa said he could only afford to spend receiving free lunches at school but that the family had been rejected for food stamps because they did not qualify.

Asked why he had not left the farm in search of an alternative, he said: "Farming is the only thing I know. I want to farm. I want to raise my kids on a farm, and there's nowhere else for me

to go."
In northern Kansas, a prosperous farm region since it was settled 100 years ago, evidence of economic distress is everywhere. Hundreds of farmhouses have been abandoned. The population of Republic County, which inclu Belleville, has declined 5 percent since 1980. Ten neighboring counties are also losing resi-

Nevertheless, farm officials in Kansas and other heartland states hold out the hope that the depression in agriculture is beginning, after seven years, to turn around.

Prices for livestock are rising, interest rates are stable and the more than \$22 billion the government is paying this year for farm pro-grams is helping the largest growers realize profits that have reached the highest levels in

How long, if ever, it will take the turnaround to ripple down to the region's most impoverished farmers is uncertain.

In 1978, the rate of poverty in the 12 Middle Western states, 9.1 percent, was the lowest among the four regions measured by the U.S. Census Bureau. Last year, the poverty rate in the Middle West was 13 percent, less than in the South, about the same as the West's, and much higher than in the Northeast.

Though the poverty rate in the Middle West was lower than the overall national rate of 13.6 percent, the increase since 1978 was the largest of any region, according to the Census Bureau. In addition, in the same period, the number of people living on farms who were poor soared

to nearly 20 percent from 12.2 percent. The number of hungry farm families in the

ghum grower with a 540-acre (280-hectare) private groups that provide aid to the rural poor farm. He said that his net income was less than say the demand for food by farmers is increase.

Experts say that farmers today are suffering Mr. Baxa said he could only anoth to space more than in the Great Depression, when farms space bunches at school but that the were much smaller and families raised a variety of crops and animals to feed themselves. Now. most Kansas farmers raise two or three crops feed corn, sorghum and wheat - and, like other Americans, they buy the bulk of their food from

supermarkets. in lowa, the number of farmers receiving food stamps rose to more than 2,000 this year from 400 in 1984, according to the State Department of Human Services.

Church groups in Nebraska have established more than 200 so-called pantries in church basements that provide bread, canned goods and other staples to rural families.

In a random telephone survey in April of 62 farm families in 12 Nebraska counties, 42 per cent said they used the pantries in emerger cent said they used the pantries in emergencial according to officials of the statewide family farm advocacy group that conducted the in-"It's hard to believe that in only seven years

that farmers and entire farm communities could fall so far," said Jeffrey Shotland, a researcher who has written two reports on himger since 1986 for Public Voice for Food and Health Policy, a private, Washington-based public affairs group. Roughly 40 percent of Kansas's 70,000 farm-

ers are still having serious financial troubles and are in danger of losing their farms, according to agricultural economists at Kansas State Most of those growers are struggling under a

nearly intolerable burden of high debts, low prices for grain and creditors seeking to reposess equipment, land and homes. Yet instead of giving up, farmers and their

wives are taking low-paying, part-time jobs in town. Children are working after school and on weekends. Many farmers and their wives say they are too poor or too busy to plant gardens. Almost

every dollar earned is put back into the farm to repay debts. What remains is spent on food,

Reagan Denounces, Then Signs, Bill to Cut Deficit

By Lou Cannon

Washinmon Post Service

WASHINGTON - President Ronald Reagan denounced Tuesday a deficit reduction bill that he said was an attempt by congressional "big spenders" to "blackmail" him, but he then signed the measure as its Republican co-sponsors looked on uneasily in the White House Rose Garden.

"To those who say we must weaken America's defense, they're nuts," Mr. Reagan said. "To those who say we must raise the tax burden on the American people, they're nuts." The unusual seven-minute cere-

mony ended with Mr. Reagan responding to a reporter's shouted

publican congressional leaders in attendance. "No," the president said. "If you

want to show your pleasure with what I said, give them a hand. They're on our side." The audience of administration

officials dutifully applauded the congressional leaders. Several of them had personally urged Mr. Reagan on Thursday to sign the bill despite the strong objections of Delense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger. The bill had been supported by other national security officials. Republican sources said that Mr.

Reagan intended to veto the measure but changed his mind after hearing the arguments of advisers and of six Republican congressional leaders who met with him

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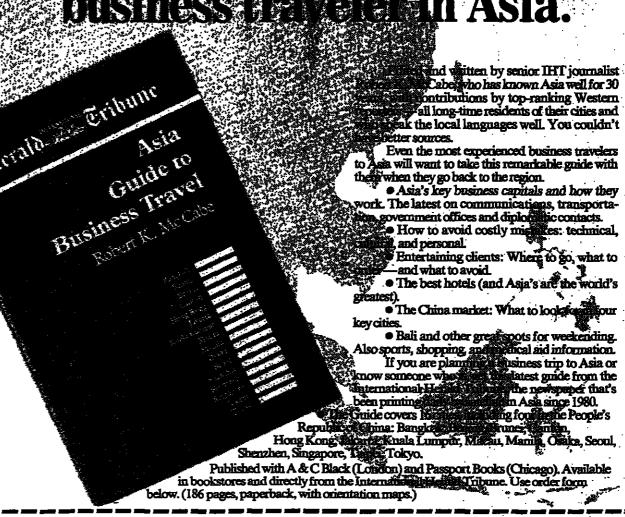
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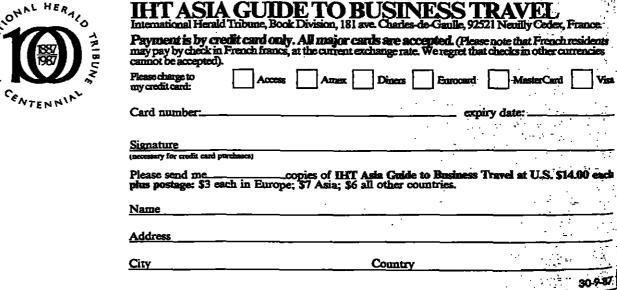
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original version of the bill become 1988 fiscal year would be about law in 1985. Then, it included the \$144 billion. By bipartisan comproautomatic spending cuts later mise, the bill now relaxes the law's thrown out by the Supreme Court. original deficit-reduction schedule. Mr. Reagan said he was signing leaving most of the deficit-cutting for after next year's elections. The original law envisioned a

legislation to increase the federal \$108 billion deficit in fiscal 1988. with the ultimate goal of a balanced The Treasury needs to borrow to budget achieved in 1991. The new finance the government's deficits. law would not eliminate the deficit-







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Residents of the neighborhood in Medellin, Colombia, that was destroyed by a landslide await news of family members as rescuers search for survivors and bodies of victims.

Colombia Landslide Toll Put at 300

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their homes and there were lots

of people in the houses that were

60 houses near Sugar Loaf

The landslide crushed about

covered by the landslide."

MEDELLIN, Colombia -Rescue workers searching for bodies buried under a landslide that crashed down a mountain into a poor neighborhood here estimated Tuesday that the death toll had risen to 300, but the mayor feared it could reach 500.

The chief of the fire depart-

ment, Pedro Nel Correa, said

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emergency crews had pulled 200 bodies from the tons of rubble, mud and rocks by Tuesday. He estimated that 300 people died in the landslide Sunday, but Mayor William Jaramillo Gomez said that estimate may be too

the bodies of victims.

largest city.

"The toll might be between 400 and 500," he said, "if we keep in mind that on Sundays the mayor said.

Mr. Nel Correa said the approximate death toll figure was reached by estimating the number of people who lived in the bouses destroyed or buried by the dirt and rocks. About 1,000 people lived in the destroyed neighborhood, officials said.

mountain in a shantytown in Medellin, Colombia's second-The landslide occurred when mountain streams swollen by The mayor said firefighters, rains overflowed their banks civil defense workers and the Sunday afternoon and sent wa-Red Cross had been working for ter, mud and rocks down the side three days to find survivors and of the mountain.

Scores of children were report-

"There is no possibility that edly among the victims.

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washed away, they said, and mud slides have buried people in black slides have burnen peop and Indian townships. Durban, on the Ind Durban, on the Indian Ocean,

which has a population of more than a million, was virtually isolated, with road, rail and civil air links - c severed. "We are sealed off in all direc-

tions," a police officer said Tuesday after the last surviving bridge

fell into the Mgeni River.

South Africa Floods Kill at Least 50

DURBAN, South Africa

Heavy flooding caused by five days
of record rainfall has killed at least
bad received 15 inches (38 centimeters) of rain since Friday, breaking
the record for September set 100
years ago. The weather bureau said Durban emergency was declared.

government departments to mount relief operations.

Five cars fell into the Tugela River and were swept away with their occupants when the John Ross Bridge collapsed on the main coastal highway north of Durban,

Durban. A lifeboat was called out for the first time in memory. Police estimated the death toll at to rescue people from rooftoos

evacuate the town, where a state of Durban faced a water shortage

after four aqueducts feeding purifi-cation plants were washed away. Water board officials said supplies would dry up within 36 hours unless repairs were made.

Water rationing was imposed and supplies to 30 major industrial users were cut, shutting down most of Natal's 14 sugar mills.

Much of South Africa, which suffered years of drought in the One of the areas worst hit was early 1980s, has had heavy rain this the port of Richard's Bay, north of month. Some areas reported snow

Kinnock Urges Party to Learn From Defeat and Change Policy By Karen DeYoung

BRIGHTON, England - The Labor Party leader, Neil Kinnock, called Tuesday on his party to learn the lessons of a third straight elec-

toral defeat and to modernize its policies to appeal to a broader portion of the electorate.

Calling for a "rigorous reassess-ment across the whole field of our been that the bedrock of its suppolicies," Mr. Kinnock made clear port. Britain's traditional working class, is shrinking, with employin his keynote speech to the annual party conference here that neither ment decreasing in heavy industry while it increases in service and Labor's proposed unilateral nuclear disarmament nor its commithigh-tech industries. ment to state ownership of industry

were immune from review. At the same time, he called on leftist activists to subdue their criticisms and join the party main-stream or risk further narrowing Labor's appeal.

From now on, he said, all party efforts must be undertaken "in the clear and certain knowledge that we address many people who need to be convinced if they are to make the shift to supporting us, people who need to be certain that their trust in our common purpose and common sense is fully justified."

The conference was the first since the general election in June brought a big victory to Prime Minster Margaret Thatcher and a continuation of her parliamentary ma-

The scale of Labor's defeat has led some political pundits to write the party's obituary.

Within the party itself, the loss has provoked a torrent of debate.

Australian Court Rejects Extension Of Spy Book Ban

CANBERRA, Australia — Publication of a former counter-espio-nage agent's memoirs apparently can begin in Australia after a judge Tuesday rejected Britain's attempt

to prolong a ban on the book. quest to prolong the ban on Peter goods and clothes imaginable." Wright's book, "Spycatcher," the subject of a two-year legal wrangle in Anstralian courts.

Britain had asked the judge to prevent publication of the book until the outcome of a hearing by the full High Court, the country's highest legal body.

A date has not been set for the hearing, at which Britain is to ask the court to overturn a New South Wales Court of Appeal ruling Thursday that lifted a temporary injunction on "Spycatcher."

Britain says that Mr. Wright, who is retired, broke a life-long pledge of secrecy by writing the book about his service in the British intelligence network. 28013 MADRID =

The argument is between those lowed them to purchase the public who maintain that what is needed housing units in which they live is a move further to the left and the and which have offered some of the majority who believe, with Mr. country's largest state-owned en-Krunock, that the only way for- terprises for sale to anyone with the stituency parties select their partiaward is to analyze why Labor has money to buy a single share.

Labor also seemed unable during keep many of its old supporters, and change policy accordingly. the election campaign to capitalize on its strengths, including the widespread belief of many voters that Mrs. Thatcher was "uncaring" about things like unemployment holds-barred review of party poli-and the continuation of the National Health Service.

Many voters perceived the party nock pledged that "we are not go-as disorganized, fractious and inca-nable of nutting its commitment to socialism and collective provipable of putting its commitment to However, the party's leftists have the collective good into efficient found it increasingly hard to argue with electoral figures showing that practice. less than half of all semiskilled and This week's conference was unskilled workers, and an even planned by the leadership to capi-

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opening sessions. Mr. Kinnock won changes limiting the power of Mr. Kinnock also c mentary candidates. Also, the selection of new members of the

party's ruling National Executive Council increased the pro-Kinnock majority. A third vote agreed to a no-

In his speech Tuesday, Mr. Kin-

sion of basic services. "Nothing," he said, "would more deserve the charge of cynicism or subotage credibility than to make a bonfire of everything we stood for"

But the party, he said, had to face new "social realities" that in- pect of removing reliance on nuclecluded increased home ownership,

during the last election.

Mr. Kinnock also congratulated leftist activists in the way local con- the Reagan administration and the Soviet leadership for their progress toward arms control.

Labor strategists are hoping that a agreement to remove intermediate-range nuclear weapons from Europe, including U.S. cruise mis-

siles based in Britain, will eliminate the need for the party to call for their removal. In the past, Labor has been accused of endangering arms control negotiations by offering to unilaterally give up Britain's independent

Mr. Kinnock said Tuesday only that the policy review would "work to ensure that we have policies that are capable of dealing with the changed conditions of the 1990s in a way that will enhance the pros-

Taiwan Reporters Find China 'Strange' and Sad

By Nicholas D. Kristof

failed to attract new voters, or even

New York Times Service TAIPEI - For the last two weeks, a newspaper here has been publishing accounts of a neighboring land where people look familiar but live in different, and sad, cir-

"People have the same faces as we have," one dispatch read, "but this place seems strange and re-

mote The Independent Evening Post, a major Taiwan newspaper, has defied a government ban on travel to mainland China by sending two reporters to roam the mainland and

report their impressions.

The two reporters, Lee Yungteh, 33, and Hsu Lu, 30, arrived in

Beijing on Sept. 14. "It was like a different world," they said in a dispatch shortly after arriving in Beijing. "The streets were lined with the crudest shops that you would not see in the re-The High Court judge, Sir William Deane, rejected Britain's re-So far the two journalists have

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in Taiwan's press. Ever since China's civil war ended in 1949 with the establishment the retreat of the Nationalists to Taiwan, residents of Taiwan have

said it will lift the ban on travel to the mainland as soon as details can be worked out, probably within a per's editor-in-chief, said he doubtfew weeks, and anticipation is pal-

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and in the way China is portrayed has said that easing of the ban will not affect trips for journalistic pur-Mr. Lee and Ms. Hsu flew back

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However, a government official as journalists for one or two years. by the episode, so have the authori-ties in Beijing. While they hurriedly granted permission for the two ournalists to visit the mainland, the visit has received scant atten-

> This may be because whenever the two reporters were interviewed, they were asked to make comparisons between Taiwan and the mainland. The answers were rarely

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MIDDLE EAST BANKING AND FINANCE

Arab banking continues to modernize and expand at an impressive pace despite the Gulf crisis and is now an integral part of the world financial scene. In response to global securitization, many Arab banks have found partnerships in the main financial centers.

of the Middle East risk, but for international banks it is still very much business as usual. "We're taking very cordially with the Iranian banks," said a distinguished British banker at a meeting of the London-based Middle East Association, whose members trade actively with the region. In London, trade finance terms for Iranian are tighter than for Iranian importers, whose clearing bonse is Dubai, an Arab Gulf city with a population of mase than 80,000 Iranians.

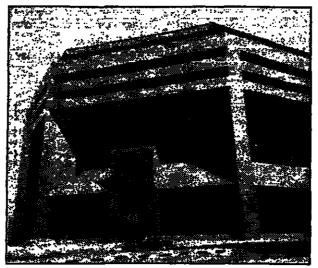
The fundamentals affecting Arab banking have more santle roots than the immediate Gulf crisis. The Arab banking community is now an integral part of the world higanizal picture. It even has its place on the regular occleral party slot at the International Monetary Fund World Bank annual meeting — the Gulf International Bank (GIB) reception being an opportunity to meet the mandatins of Arab banking. In the past 15 years Arab banks have grown spectacularly both in numbers of institutions and in sophistication.

In response to global securitization, Arab banks have been forced, sometimes unwillingly, to strengthen their worldwide networks. Since securitization and internationalization go hand-in-hand, Arab banks have found partnerships in most of the main financial centers. They have also gone to "funk holes" and to the more exotic tax havens, although since few of the major Arab banks suffer from oppressive tax laws in their domicile, they are often simply "following the leader."

Arab banking is showing an ability to regenerate itself. Just as in Pakistan the Arab banks (Middle East Bank and Bank of Oman from Dubai) have adapted to the new Islamic banking regime and turned in some of the best figures produced by foreign banks, so in Egypt new investment companies operating outside government control, such as the Al Sharif Organization, have posed an exciting challenge to Egypt's bureaucratic nationalized banks.

The health and wealth of the Gulf states, meaning essentially the six conservative Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) countries (Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates, Oman, Bahrain and Qatar), is still a crucial barometer. According to Gulf International Bank, the gross domestic product of the Gulf countries, in current prices, more than doubled between 1976 and 1983, rising from a level of \$79.4 billion to \$160 billion, with an annual compound growth of about 12.9 percent. Since 1983, GDP has been falling — to about \$126 billion in 1986. The consequences are that in the 1990s the economic structures

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of the Gulf states will be different from those bankers have become familiar with in this decade.

These will be the main characteristics: a more diversified production base away from oil, larger private sector participation in the various aspects of the economy, aggressive world-wide marketing networks for downstream oil products (Kuwait is already doing this under the Q8 logo in Europe), greater regional integration and a more balanced labor market with less dependence on the western expatriate.

This process is already evident at the Jebel Ali Free Zone outside Dubai, where a thriving textile industry exists as an extension of Pakistan's ready-made garment sector. It has also had an impact on banks, which are aiming new products at the Asian rather than the native investor. Said one Dubai banker: "You just can't interest high net-worth locals in mutual funds, but the Asian with \$30,000 a year in disposable income is a good prospect."

The most salient fact is that, over the next few years, the GCC states will increase their refining capacity to around 3 million barrels a day, and will expand vertically through the purchase of marketing networks worldwide. At present almost half the oil produced is traded outside the fixed price system, but by the 1990s about a third of GCC production will be integrated into a market-located distribution system. In 1990, GCC oil production will reach an estimated 9 million barrels a day (b/d), around 18 percent of world output; by 1995 the Gulf states' share of world oil

production will rise to 30 percent, ensuring the primacy of the Gulf in world energy output.

None of this suggests that the Gulf will become a financial Sahel, as some nervous in-house bank economists have suggested to justify reducing exposure to the Gulfbased banks. Among positive trends for all banks in the region is the Gulf governments' increasing support for the private sector, rather than for large prestige public sector white elephants', as well as a growing emphasis on the services sector, especially for health, education, training and technology. Industry is expected to become an important feature of the Gulf economies in the 1990s. Manufacturing is already contributing an average of around 8 percent to total Gulf GDP, but this will rise to 12 percent in 1990 and 15 percent in 1995. A regionally based expatriate representing an abrasives manufacturer said: "My company had ignored the Middle East until recently, now my three best markets outside Europe are Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Pakistan."

It is worth examining how the strategy adopted by Arab banks is contributing to the overall Gulf picture. A tireless advocate of innovation is Hikmat Nashashibi, chairman of the London-based Arab Bankers Association. He said: "All market participants nowadays have to adjust, not only to thinking globally, but also to becoming security-conscious. Arab banks are no exception." Nashashibi added: "In addition to being global in outlook and security-conscious, Arab participants have an advantage in pursuing a regional-niche strategy based on cost effectiveness."

Lacking a strategy can sometimes prove expensive. One Gulf bank, with an admirable credit rating based on its highly conservative lending policy and access to government deposits, opened a London branch in the spring of 1986. A year later its general manager confessed: "When we looked at London, I regret to say that we rather ignored the impending arrival of the Big Bang, and we now need to rethink things." According to Nashashibi, Arab bankers need to ask themselves what business they are in. He says: "They need to identify which of those businesses have comparative advantages, and whether those advantages can be improved upon. Discovering niches and filling them demands imagination. For the unimaginative Arab banker the future is bleak."

To Costi Chehlaoui, executive vice president of GIB in London, the emphasis for Arab banks should be on "servicing the needs of the Arab businessman and Arab community in London and in the Gulf, rather than to be involved in the highly volatile 'sharp end' of the market." He said: "We know that the best way for us to provide this

service is by developing our own in-house expertise as far as possible, bringing in the technical know-how as and when required, and training young Arab bankers who will be running the business in the future."

In this the conservative habits of Arab investors play a constraining role. Pakistan is a market of 90 million people just over an hour away by plane from the lower Gulf, yet few Gulf-based investors have entered the arena there. "They look for sure and safe guaranteed returns which simply cannot always be delivered," said a Ministry of Foreign Affairs official in Islamabad. Arab investors still have a marked preference for tangible forms of investment, such as precious metals, real estate or simple deposit accounts, rather than stocks or bonds, which are offered by specialized banks and fail to have a broad appeal, except in special circumstances.

Oil production, revenues, population. The GCC states 1985-1995

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Oil production (million b/d)	6.363	7,864	6.546	9.0	16.0
Oil revenues (\$ million)	51,364	37,932	44,249	73,896	143,358 ,
Nominal GDP growth (%)	-7.5	-11.5	20	60	100
Current Account (\$ million)	565	-8,733	-2,609	10,000	30,000
Total GCC Population (millions)	15.6	15.5	13.6	15.9	17.0
National	8.7	9.0	9.3	10.2	120
Expatriate	69	6.5	6.3	5.7	5.0

Source: Gulf International Bank July 1987.

Both regional and international expansion has been planned by Kuwait's Alahli Bank which last year opened a full branch in the Gulf Emirate of Dubai and is now moving into London. Like other local banks, Alahli suffered from the aftereffects of the stock market crash but, according to Mr. Abdul Salam A. Al Awadi, deputy chairman, last year's balance sheet "showed more profit than for the previous year." Alahli was one of the first Kuwaiti banks to press ahead with the debt settlement program suggested just over a year ago by the government. "We are really very optimistic about the future now," says Mr. Abdul, whose bank recently increased its capital by 25 percent.

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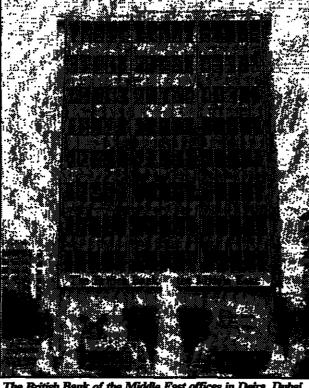
The Arab Bank of Jordan led the way in early 1987 with the announcement that it had been granted a license to operate as a commercial and investment institution in Austria.

In November 1986, Arab Bank's Tokyo office joined those of ABC, GIB and the Jeddah-based National Commercial Bank in Japan. On September 1, Arab Bank celebrated the first anniversary of its wholly owned Sydney subsidiary, Arab Australia.

By June 1987 there were more than 80 separately named Arab financial institutions in London. They include 12 recognized Arab banks and 18 licensed deposit takers.

One relative newcomer is the National Bank of Dubai, which opened in Sloane Street in April 1986. Says managing director Abdullah Mohamed Saleh: We had felt for some time the necessity of servicing the banking needs in the U.K. of our important customers. As usual, our decision to open was taken after much thought. The fairly rapid build-up of customer deposits in London confirms this assessment. London is a highly competitive market and overheads are high, but we are making satisfactory progress towards profitability."

Two banks to obtain 'recognized' status in the past two years are National Bank of Kuwait and the Paris-based consortium bank BAII. Two Saudi banks, National Commercial Bank and Saudi American Bank, whose minority. shareholder is Citicorp, are operating as licensed depos-



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Samba's managing director Shaukat Aziz says that the branch will be involved in treasury activities and make a market in the Saudi riyal. He believes Samba will add a "competitive edge" to the London Saudi riyal market, which has expanded as Bahrain has increasingly been forced to the sidelines.

One casualty appears to be the consortium bank unless, like the Paris-based Union de Banques Arabes et Françaises (UBAF), it has a distinct rationale. European Arab Bank, set up in the 1970s at the height of the oil boom, was this year removed from the Bank of England's list of recognized banks. This decision followed the bank's own moves to run down operations. Said group general manager Jad-Suidan, formerly with the 15-nation consortium The Arab Investment Company of Riyadh: "The consortium bank was a joint venture for a specific purpose. I don't thing which is more diffiNBK to assess. One constraint is capital, because the cost of building an international communications network is very high."

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Dabdoub suggests that some Arab banks may retrench to their home markets. For NBK, the global strategy has included a presence in London, New York, Paris, Geneva, Singapore and Bahrain. Yet when push came to shove and NBK lead managed a KD 30 mil-lion (\$106 million) bond issue for the World Bank, it was the bank's 50-branch network in Kuwait that absorbed the issue. NBK markers units as small as KD 20,000 (\$70,800). For bond issues it gets a large number of subscriptions, ranging up to KID 100,000 (\$354,000).

Niche playing is also the theme at Saudi International Bank, which has halved its staff in New York. The branch's foreign exchange and money market operations have been returned to SIB's London headquarters.

Singapore is now seen as a possible base and as an attractive market in its own right. Earlier this year, Kuwait Asia Bank took a 16.3 percent stake in Singapore's oldest stockbroker, Fraser & Company. Gulf International Bank has taken a 24.5 percent stake in the familyowned Singapore stockbroker, Ong & Company.

The Cairo-based Arab African International Bank group, now chaired by Aziz al-Jassar, has had good results from its offshore subsidiary Tunis Arab African Bank, set up in June 1985. Deputy chairman Abdel-Moneim Roushdy, former chairman of the National Bank of Egypt, says the bank aims to penetrate many of the domestic markets in which it operates worldwide. This would appear to be one Arab bank which intends to stay nearer

Investment Companies Offer New, More Flexible Services

T was supposed to be a secret, and it may well have started with Merrill Lynch, but suddenly every major Arab bank is doing it. Loan swaps have become the latest fashion, as Arab banks play on the nerves of U.S. banks with "Gulf risk" and offer to buy their Saudi or Gulf corporate loans, in return for Latin American and other Third World debt. The swap market in the

Gulf is still in its infancy, with only about a dozen banks participating and a volume of approximately \$30 million; individual transactions rarely exceed \$5 million. To the Gulfbased banks the logic of a Gulf/Larin American asset swap is impeccable. American banks are nervous about "Gulf risk," but Arab bankers feel this is something they understand. The Arab banks having gone down the line in Latin America to the tune of some \$4 billion are also looking for relief. Although the discount price of Saudi corporate loans varies widely, some recent swaps have ranked them slightly below Ecuador's sovereign debt, which trades at between 45 and 47

cents to the dollar. This new opportunity has been seized by the managements at some of the top Arab banks, which are increasingly interested in diversifying into services-When a group of directors-/representatives from Merrill Lynch recently toured the Gulf, where they received strong support for both debt and debt/equity

Innovation may be the key to success, but in the Gulf, innovators must proceed with caution. In April, the Saudi Arabian government decided to establish a three-member committee to oversee banking disputes, but the committee's membership has yet to be announced. In Egypt, the Islamic investment companies, considered the most dynamic new force in Arab banking, often exist on the outer limits of the law. The most solid of them is Al Sharif, whose group investments total more than 1 billion Egyptian pounds (\$462 million). Freed from the restraints that are imposed on banks, investment companies such as Al Sharif can pursue imaginative policies, switching in and out

of Egyptian pounds at will. Other Arab banks are responding to the needs of the private investor. Private portfolio management can represent a substantial riskfree source of revenue for Gulf banks. Usually regarded as an off-balance-sheet item, it can help a bank maintain its gearing. Arab banks now face the challenge of acquiring the expertise to mount a sustained campaign. Some of them have elected to market 'off the shelf' packages put together by friendly investment houses. Some very big Arab banks, such as the National Commercial Bank of Jeddah, have decided to sell other people's products, and this represents a significant area of opportunity for investment houses with good links to

Among those who have relied on their own inhouse ability are Gulf International Bank and Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank, whose managing director Sultan al-Suwaidi was formerly with GIB. In GIB's case, its Investment Management Service offers to set up packages for private

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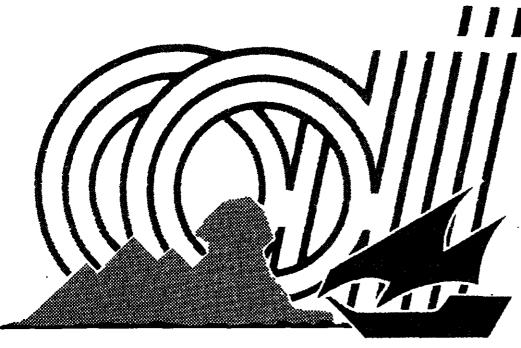
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arena, a key performer among the Arab investment banks is the Bahrainbased Arabian Investment; Banking Corporation (Investcorp), which is concentrating on mergers and acquisitions, mainly in the United States. Its president, Nemir Kirdar, is predicting a significant increase in 1987 net earnings. This will help the bank maintain the 30 percent return on capital achieved in 1986, its most profitable year since startup in 1982. Its most spectacular deal this year has been acquiring of the assets of French jeweler Chaumet & Company and its affiliate Breguet. The acquisition follows Investcorp's established strategy of arranging corporate purchases and then parceling out shares to investors and management. while maintaining a sizable stake in the purchase. It is a strategy already blessed with success - in the 1984 purchase by Investoorp of New York jeweler Tiffany & Company.

Such moves by the new Arab bankers are nor missed by the old hands. Said UBÁFs retiring chairman Mohamed Abushadi: "I can see UBAF developing its services in the rapidly changing international markets."

In order to innovate, Middle East banks need the expertise to move into new areas, and the funds to enable them to do so. It is salutary to listen to the chairman of the Beirutbased Union of Arab Banks, Anwar el-Khalil; "Arab banks risk being left centuries behind unless priority is given to maining staff in modern banking techniques."

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New Developments In Money Market

in the Gulf have grown reasonably well during the past decade, in line with the overall economic development of the region. Issues of government debt have frequently been used in several Gulf countries. The instruments range from bank security deposit accounts and short-term treasury notes and certificates of deposits to long-term development bonds. Various Euronotes and underwriting facilities have also been floated by major Gulf commercial banks and the trend is clearly towards greater utilization of financial in-

ernments in the region. Nevertheless, bond and smck markers are often fragmented and lagging behind. Most of the debt in the region is still raised through syndicated loans and bank facilities. Very few private companies have until now resorted to issuing stocks and bonds to meet their financial requirements. Only Kuwait has an official stock exchange and a recognizable bond market.

The Gulf region was experiencing an economic to 91-day maturities. boom in the '70s and domestic investment opportunities were scarce compared to the amount of dwindling of regional financial surpluses, the effidrive toward industrialization and larger private sector participation continues, and more emphasis is now being placed on the selection of investments with higher rates of returns.

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ONEY markets cial deepening is emerging. Rules and regulations aimed at establishing indigenous stock markets are being studied and enacted. Share prices in Saudi Arabia have risen by more than 10 percent since the beginning of the year and Bahrain has now passed legislation allowing its first stock

exchange to be set up. Economic recession has had a negative effect on the growth of capital markets. But there are other causes, including a lack of proper commercial laws, investment controls and accepted accounting practices.

In recent years new financial instruments - treasury bills, CDs, commercial paper and special forms of bank accounts - have added depth and flexibility to the various money markets in the Gulf

In Kuwait such activities are well established. The country's central bank has operated a discount window since 1975 from which banks can borrow against commercial papers. A dollar/dinar swap facility has also existed since 1978 and, in 1980, the Central Bank introduced bills for 7-

The bills are considered part of commercial bank reserve requirements and as such cannot be used as vecapital available. With the hicles in open market operations.

Instead of affecting bank cient utilization of savings reserves, the issue of bills has become a priority. The merely causes a reshuffling among them and a reduction in cash reserves in favor of the Central Bank's interest-bearing bills. Nevertheless, with such a variety of tools available to it, the Central Bank is in a better position to manage liquidity in the country.

The lack of such sophis-

ticated instruments has slowed down the development of money market activities in Saudi Arabia. However, these received a much needed boost in 1985 when the Kingdom's monetary agency (SAMA) introduced Benking Security Deposit Accounts (BSDA).

The aim was to help banks relieve unexpected shortages and more effectively manage liquidity and interest rates. The BSDAs are non-negotiable entries priced at a discount offered at around SR1,900 million (\$506 million) each week in differing maturities -30, 91 and 180 days. The issues are available to domestic banks only and although yields on the BSDAs have been changing, they are normally priced below the interbank market rates. The BSDAs could be traded and used for short-term cleaning with SAMA, and the monerary agency is ready to buy them back to help ease liquidity

A new regulation at the beginning of this year aimed ar broadening the repurchase pacts offered to banks operating in the Kingdom's money markets. The move could help curb volatile fluctuations in short-term interest rates and strengthen SAMA's role in the financial mar-

SAMA will now offer to repurchase facilities with banks against collaterals of 30-, 91- and 180-day BSDAs. Previously, 30-day BSDAs were not accepted. The more flexible repurchase system is expected to make the BSDAs more attractive and more competitive with interbank funds.

Bahrain's money markets gained depth when treasury bills were introduced for the first time last year to help finance the budget deficit and maintain a more flexible control over bank liquidity.

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The debt instruments are competitively priced and are exempted from reserve requirement regulations which enhances their attractiveness to the financial community. The bills can be traded before maturity and the potential for the development of a sec-

ondary market is clear. An active market in these instruments would help Bahrain establish itself as a sophisticated financial center. It would give banks an instrument for balancing their internal cash positions and the Bahrain Monetary Agency a new tool to manage liquidity in the Bahraini dinar market.

The offshore banking units (OBUs) in Bahrain are beloing to spearhead the introduction of new financial instruments denominated in US dollars and local currencies.

Recently, commercial papers have been gaining wide acceptability. These are short-term notes issued on behalf of Gulf borrowers without the insurance of back-up credit and normally placed among institutional investors. Banks can create a secondary market in trading these papers. Futures and options are also appearing in Bahrain on a limited scale.

Already the money markets in the United Arab Emirates have gained flexibility with introduction of weekly CDs. Money markets elsewhere in the Gulf have also been maturing. In Oman, the Central Bank has introduced discounted commercial paper and Qatar is following suit.

Developments such as these and the trade in a variety of instruments are helping to create greater financial awareness in the region as well as opening up new channels for savers and

— Henry T. Azzam, chief economist at Gulf International Bank.

Expanding Loan Finance in the West

HREE Arab banks have agreed to underwrite \$365 million of the cost of a rail nunnel link. The project is not the Hejaz railway, or even the high speed monorail link once proposed between Saudi Arabia and Bahrain, but the Channel runnel berween England and France, which is being managed by the Anglo-French consortium Eurotunnel

The Arab trio are National Bank of Kuwait (NBK), Arab Banking Corporation (ABC) and

total, were for Arab borrowers. Nashashibi said: "The progress of this Arabto-Arab Euroloans activity was very noticeable in recent years and will continue to grow steadily in the future. With cross border financial intermediation now shifting from the bank loan to the securities form, Arab banks must concentrate successfully on "Arab-to-Arab Eurosecurities acti-

The biggest contribution in this area in 1987 has been the courageous decision of the Kuwaiti au-

waiti bottower in the KD bond market since 1982. At the signing, World Bank vice president Ibrahim Shihata said: "The issue shows not only our confidence in the Kuwaiti dinar financial markets, but also in the financial institutions of Kuwait itself."

not evolved as a capital market for the Arab world, as had been hoped in the late 1970s, is perhaps explicable by the low volume of inter-Arab trade. Nashashibi rightly points out that any "unified Arab financial

The fact that Kuwait has

ing big "one off" provisions. The tax advantages of raking such steps are not applicable to Arab banks, since the biggest are established in tax efficient jurisdictions. Arab banks are refusing to grant loans in some Arab countries and in at least one emirate, Sharjah, if they are not domiciled there. Generally, Arab debtors want long-term money, which most of the smaller Arab commercial banks, heavily dependent on small depositors or the inter-bank market, cannot provide. More active are institutions, such as the Al Khobar-based Arab Petroleum Invest-

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geria, Oman and the UAE. If a regional loan market is to reopen in the Gulf, it will require a substantial oil price hike and a different legal framework in kev countries such as Saudi Arabia. Many bankers say that the authorities are still not ready to make the necessary reforms to create real Gulf capital markets.

Ironically, the real reason why Arab borrowers are having difficulty raising funds is not so much that credit risks have increased. but that the focus of many international lenders has shifted to the developed world and its huge corporate sector. Even some Arab banks see it that way.

-John Wilson.



Arab Banking Corporation's new head office in Bahrain.

the Paris-based Union de Banques Arabes et Francaises (UBAF). André Benard, the joint chairman of Eurotunnel, believes that Middle East participation in the total loan package will be substantial

Eurotunnel shows how far Arab banks have developed in loan finance. According to Hikmat Nashashibi, chairman of the London-based Arab Bankers Association, Arab banks in the period 1978-86 leadmanaged Euroloans for various international borrowers to the tune of \$48 billion. Of this figure, \$21 billion, or 43 percent of the

thorities to allow a limited number of Kuwaiti dinar bond issues. Since the Soug al-Manakh crisis, Kuwaiti authorities have been reluctant to allow foreign institutions to mop up liquidity in the home market, although there is a dearth of good opportunities in KD. National Bank of Kuwait "finished for the summer" with a KD 30 million (\$106 million) bond issue on behalf of the World Bank, which followed hard on the heels of a KD 20 million (\$70.8 million) issue for the Republic of Finland in May — the first public issue for a non-Ku-

more inter-Arab lending to boost trade." The other side of the

market" will always be

lacking due to the weakness

of commercial links be-

tween Arab countries. In

Kuwait the Inter-Arab In-

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ration has set up an export

credit guarantee scheme,

which it is marketing in the

region and to Arab-owned

banks in Paris and London.

Trade between Arab

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"Clearly," said one Saudi

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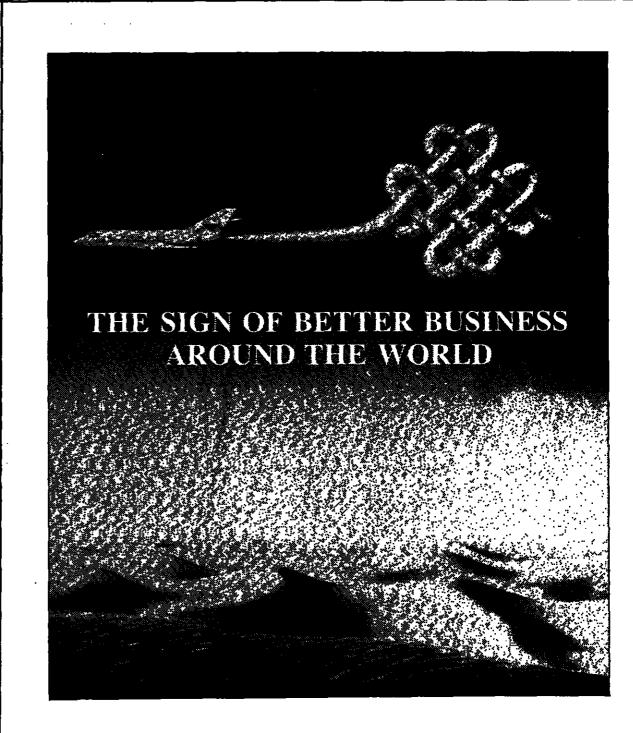
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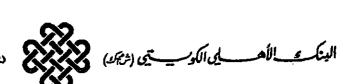
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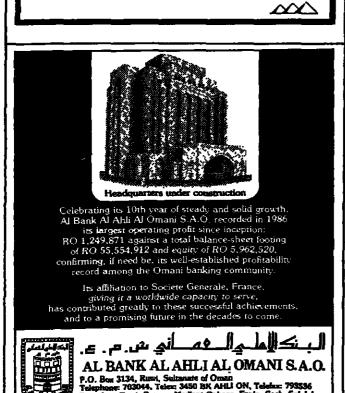
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largest Islamic financial institution. Founded by Prince Mohammed al Faisal in 1981, DMI is currently responsible for \$2 billion worth of funds around the

For 65-year-old Paki-

stani-born Muazzam Ali. vice chairman of DMI, the Islamic unit trust is an important step in his life's work of making Islamic ideas, particularly in economics, more accessible to the West. He explains that, in accordance with Islamic precepts, DMI's unit trust will not put its money on account or invest in bonds or in other interest-bearing financial instruments. It will steer clear of companies with gambling or brewery subsidiaries. But he sees no reason why Moslems should not fund sectors such as medicine and transport, where they will benefit from the expected rise in unit trust price.

A self-confessed liberal, Mr. Ali admits the unit trust will not be kindly received by conservative Islamic scholars. However, he says, Islam must adapt to survive in the modern world. Some Moslems, who are pushing for greater pragmatism in economic affairs, say the Prophet Mohammed's prohibition of usury was simply an attack on the exploitative moneylenders of Arabia in his day. Others argue that interest up to the rate of inflation should be allowed.

Mr. Ali disagrees. He believes the Prophet's ban on interest is total, but that British Moslems are correct in using the existing capitalist system until an alternative Islamic economic framework is established,

DMI has banks, insurance companies and trading houses in 13 countries. Its history has been checkered. Subsidiaries were accused of commodity speculation during the African famine three years ago. It also suf-

fered substantial losses on the metal markets. But the bank has been making intensive efforts to improve its operations. Last year, staff at its Geneva headquarters was reduced from 120 to 96. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 1986, operating profit increased by 58 percent to \$11.17 million and net profit by 44 percent to \$8.37 million.

Geographical frontiers

are being extended. In 1987 Faisal Islamic Bank of Egypt, a subsidiary of DMI, joined forces with the Ningxia Islamic International Trust and Investment Bank to set up China's first Islamic bank, the Islamic International Investment Company. In Egypt, Faisal Islamic Bank has ten branches, with deposits of more than \$1.5 billion. An important part of the group's activities is trade finance. Last year its International Islamic Trading Company (IITC) underwrote \$130 million worth of trade, mainly between Islamic countries. DMI's Five Year Plan (1985-90) envisages an inreprated Islamic economic and financial system. It also suggests the group could play a leading role in establishing a secondary Islamic

The bank is seeking recognition in the West as well. From its Luxembourg office, DMI already offers British Moslems Islamic insurance. However, the Bank of England is wary of giving it a banking license as technically, under the Islamic system, deposits are nor guaranteed. Since interest is not allowed, a customer participates with the bank in trading ventures which can lead to losses as well as profits. Mr. Ali, undeterred, says if DMI can succeed in the West, it will gain respectability in its tra-ditional markets: the Gulf and North Africa.

financial market.

— Michael Duncan.

New Technology Comes to Arab Banks

HE image of Arab banking has changed dramatically in the past five years crowded labor-intensive banking halls have been replaced by gleaming computer rooms and chattering automatic teller machines.

Indeed, Arab banks are now beginning to export their own expertise. A software package designed to operate and control traveler's checks has been sold by Arab Financial Services (AFS) to the Bank of New Zealand, itself due to open an office soon in Bahrain. AFS was set up in 1982 in Bahrain and is owned by 61 Arab banks and financial institutions. Derek Pearmund, AFS deputy general manager, said: "We could

find nothing to operate 2 its merchant banking arm, traveler's check program that met our requirements, so we set out to create our own. Because this is a traveler's check system and not related to other operations, we have been able to offer it for sale anywhere"

The British Bank of the Middle East (BBME), one of the leading foreign banks in the Gulf, has developed Hexagon - a sophisticated cash management system. Through Hexagon, business people using personal computers can contact the bank, make transactions and receive information from around the world. The bank's own offices are linked to the group's global data network, allowing BBME and

the Dubai-based Wardley Middle East, to offer customers a wide range of international banking investment services. Arab banks have invest-

ed heavily in new technology. From the Gulf, a customer's cash position can be tracked through all the major time zones. More and more businesses are seeking direct connections to their lead bank's dealing room, and get 'wake up' calls giving them the overnight major currency movements.

The customer reaction to cash cards is more difficult to analyze. A typical comment from one bank is that most Arab customers want them, but do not use them very often. Neverthe-

less, AFS plans to introduce a credit card in the Middle East. The AFS Premier Card is affiliated to the Visa program, which means it can be used through Visa outlets and in automated cash dispensers worldwide.

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Given the new emphasis on retail banking in certain Gulf centers, particularly Bahrain, Abu Dhabi and Dubai, there is a healthy market for cash dispensers. Note, however, the word of advice from a seasoned bank manager to a software salesmen: "Remember, in some of the Gulf countries we work to three decimal points with our currencies. The lesson is do your homework before coming out here to sell."

Banking

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Given the nature of Arab financial markets, conservatism is to be expected. Stock exchanges exîst in Kuwait, Saudi Arabia and Bahrain but no formal exchange exists in Oman and Qarar. The UAE is moving toward having a formal stock market, with National Bank of Abu Dhabi making a market in some shares. Bond markets exist in Kuwait, and to a lesser extent in Bahrain. The Kuwaiti dinar bond market was hailed as the Arab world's first true capital market in the 1970s, and has recently been relaunched with National Bank of Kuwait leading a KD 30 million issue for the World Bank, equivalent to just over \$100 million. The signing ceremony took place, not in Kuwait, but at London's Dorchester Ho-

The most encouraging development has been in

the money markets — in short-term paper. Treasury bills, certificates of deposit and commercial paper issues are now traded in

many of the Gulf states. Kuwait, Bahrain and the UAE all have developed money markets. It is easy to see why the capital markets have failed to evolve. The shaky legal framework, particularly where interest is involved, is one reason, as are the family-ociented nature of Gulf businesses and the lack of standardized financial reporting criteria. Signs of progress exist. even in Saudi Arabia, the most conservative of the Gulf states, but further training of the Arab financial community is needed.

Arab banks and financial institutions have sustained their development - despite the absence of a welldeveloped framework at home — only by a determined thrust into global markets. In the tradition of the great Arab travelers, branches have been opened in London, New York, Tokyo, Singapore, Hong Kong and Paris as well as in China and South America. It is this process which will stand the Arab banks in good stead when wealth returns to the Gulf region in the 1990s.

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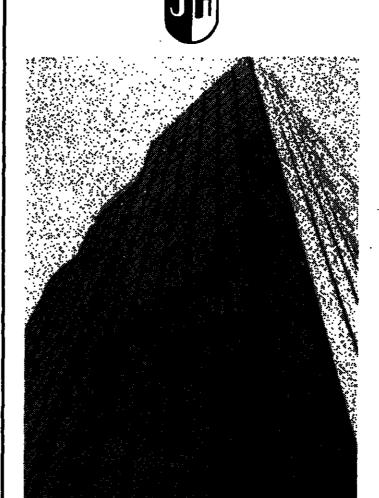
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Campaigning in Poland The Poland that Vice President George remarkable television address, that

Bush has been touring no longer burns with Solidarity's reform fever nor cowers under martial law. General Woiciech Jaruzelski's dictatorship remains repressive, but conditions have eased and the Reagan administration's general response has been right. Relations ought to be improved, step by step, in exchange for clear improvements in the Polish political climate.

But Mr. Bush now promises U.S. assistance in rescheduling Poland's \$35 billion foreign debt. That raises serious questions: Why this step, at this time and with this debtor? Washington has taken conciliatory action in the past only after Warsaw has taken big steps to ease repression. This week's promise of help responds to no comparable political gain.

The pressure of unrescheduled debt has forced Poland to fall behind in its payments and has dried up access to needed new credit. That loads a greater burden of auscan be argued that the biggest losers have context would have been a better idea. been Poland's lenders, not its government. In return for his promise of support, Mr. Bush seems to have extracted little more than vague assurances about Warsaw's commitment to reform. Mr. Bush was also granted a series of appearances, including a

boost the morale of beleaguered democrats and, for good measure, provide valuable footage for 1988. Two campaign-financed camera crews accompanied the vice presi-dent on his state visit. Granted, wholesale amnesties are no longer required, and even informal undertakings to a top American official are worth something. Yet arguably the needed debt help could have been traded for more concrete gain.

What odd appearances for an adminis-tration that urges "Let Reagan be Reagan" when it comes to the East. Here it offers debt assistance to a Communist dictatorship while continuing to begrudge it to Third World democracies. The aid now offered is minimal, but it comes when the administration seems to lack any sense of adequate initiatives for countering the debt burden on progress in Latin America and Africa, as demonstrated anew by its attitude at the current IMF-World Bank meetings. terity on a suffering population. Granted, it Packaging debt help to Poland in a global

Quid pro quo diplomacy with Poland remains worth pursuing, if the quids match the quos. On the evidence, that will not be any easier to achieve as American presiden-tial politics moves to the fore.

— THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Iranian Oil, for Now

Iranian oil, it now appears, was pouring into the United States in great volumes during the early summer. That sharpens the dilemma for America in dealing with Iran. There is an obvious case for Americans to refuse to buy Iran's oil. It is offensive to carry on business as usual with that supplier. The money goes into weapons and the prolongation of a murderous war that the United States is working anxiously to turn off; American ships are in waters threatened by Iranian mines. But to cut off American imports would require sanctions.

American sanctions would inconvenience Iran, but as long as the world's thirst for oil remains at its present level there would be other buyers. It would not be a crippling blow unless the rest of the world joined in and doing without a couple of million barrels a day of oil would mean the kind of shortages and price increases for which the world demonstrably has a low tolerance.

In July, it appears, the United States imported more than 600,000 barrels a day from Iran — more than from any other country but Nigeria. July was not, in the oil trade, a normal month. The fighting in the Gulf had set off a sudden surge of buying on the part of oil companies hastily building stocks for the coming winter. Now the atmosphere is less tense, and imports not only have dropped sharply but seem to have returned to their normal pattern. The normai pattern means about 250,000 barrels a day from Iran — less than half the July

surge and only a third as much as the United States generally buys from Venezu-ela or Canada, but still a substantial amount of oil, representing something over

\$1.5 billion a year for the Iranian war effort. It is possible to cut off that flow, but not easy. The U.S. boycott of Libyan oil demonstrated the difficulties. For some time importers evaded the ban by taking Libyan crude to Europe for refining and then bringing the products into the United States. To trace oil back through the inter-

national refineries is not simple. In the Iranian case there would be another layer of complication. When Iran returned the American hostages in 1981, it made a deal with the United States. A tribunal was to be set up in The Hague to adjudicate American claims against revolutionary Iran and, as part of the same deal, the United States lifted its sanctions against Iran. If it were now to re-impose them, the Iranians could claim violation of that agreement and pull out of the Hague process, in

which Americans have much at stake For the present, oil sanctions are more useful as a threat that can be invoked in the future if Iran continues, recklessly and obdurately, to pursue the war. They are a heavy weapon, cumbersome and expensive, to be invoked only when all attempts at negotiation and persuasion have finally failed and left no choice but the policies to which America has been pushed in dealing with Libya.

— THE WASHINGTON POST.

They're Running Away

Ronald Reagan has only himself to blame for the new budget law he has "reluctantly" accepted. His inflexibility on raising taxes and reducing defense spending drove Congress to new tactics that are as contrived as the old ones. The new law may mean slower deficit reduction. That would be acceptable if it came with a credible commitment, but it doesn't. The only thing this law is better than is no law at all. What a sorry legacy for The Man Who Loves Balanced Budgets.

For five years Mr. Reagan used the huge federal deficit to force cuts in domestic spending. Now Congress is trying to turn the tables, using the deficit to compel higher taxes or deeper defense cuts. No one seems happy about the outcome, least of all those who recognize the deficit as the core of American economic difficulties.

Gramm-Rudman-Hollings sets annual targets for deficit reduction. If Congress and the president cannot agree on appropriations and taxes to reach the target, the law required automatic cutbacks in most programs. That part was ruled unconstitutional The new version revises the automatic feature but its effect remains to be demonstrated. The 1991 target for finally balancing the budget is postponed to 1993. Don't bet on 1993, either. The target for fiscal 1988, which starts on Thursday, is now \$23 billion. That is more achievable; but it is a third less than

the \$36 billion originally planned. The new law, which the president op-posed, would get half its reductions from Pentagon spending and half from domestic

programs, if the president and Congress fail

to agree beforehand on spending cuts and new taxes. The Democratic leaders in Congress hoped that this would force the president to approve higher taxes, reasoning that he would rather let taxes rise than see military spending cut. But it appears now that Congress is likely to cut defense spending almost as much as the automatic cut any-

way, so the threat is diminished. The automatic cuts are scheduled to take effect on Nov. 20, less than eight weeks away, if Congress and the president don't work out their differences. The Democrats, who control both houses, still want half the deficit reduction to come from higher revenues. President Reagan remains adamant about higher taxes but will accept user fees or the closing of loopholes. He has already proposed more than \$6

billion in such new revenues this year. There will be a lot of bluster and bluff in the coming weeks before the issue is resolved. Hardly anyone will mention that the deficit is being cut less this time around than last, and that the cuts may be smaller next year - an election year. The new Gramm-Rudman-Hollings Act puts off the dirty work until there is a new president.

Magic formulas are the last refuge of political leaders who lack the courage to make hard choices and to lead. Their new formula may be the only acceptable solution at the moment and it may work only for the moment. But Congress and the president must share the blame for the huge deficits year after year. Even now, they are running away. -THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Other Comment

Glasnost Takes a Beating

Mr. Gorbachev has reappeared, apparently in good physical condition, but "transparhas its limits. It is almost as if we were back in the days when the activities of Soviet leaders were part of the mystery of the Kremlin. How many times was the declining health of a Brezhnev, an Andropov, a Cher-

nenko covered up as an impenetrable secret?

Does the fate of the U.S.S.R. — and of the world, to the extent that the Soviet Union plays a determining role in it — depend on Mr. Gorbachev? In other words,

would the hopes that have taken form since the winds of change began to blow in Moscow all vanish if the Kremlin leader were to disappear, physically or politically? A Central Committee plenum, a session of the Supreme Soviet and the planned summit with President Reagan should tell us in the next few weeks whether or not Mr. Gorbachev emerges weakened from this strange eclipse. There remains the troubling thought that all, or almost all, rests on one man, that everything could be undone by

his death or a palace revolution. --- Le Monde (Paris).

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By Bill Bradley

Beating swords into tank parts.

Debt: Take the Lead or Endure a Forced Outcome

The writer is a Democratic senator from New Jersey.

and job creation while servicing debt at the rate of 7 percent of GNP. about to lose the last chance for America to get political credit for a solution to the international debt crisis. • It is smart politics. Debt relief allows fledgling democracies to spend veloping countries in Latin America money on infrastructure, health and education instead of just servicing the debt of a former military dictatorship. But governments with no alternative to new loans for paying old debt will developing countries and the need for abandon reform rather than become easy targets for opposition parties.

• It is sound banking practice.

Emergency loans contaminate banks

ministers hold the annual meet-

ing of the International Monetar

Fund, the Reagan administration i

Since 1982 the debt burden on de-

and the Philippines has condemned

most to falling standards of fiving and

little or no net investment. The col-lapse of markets for U.S. goods in

those countries to export at any cost

has cost more than a million U.S. jobs. The failure to resolve the dilemma has

stability of many American banks.

The solution is targeted interest-

rate relief and partial debt cancella-

tion — but only for debtors who

implement growth-oriented reforms.

Creditors should offer relief. For

many debtor countries, politically risky reform programs that make

the economy more efficient and

more equitable are the one chance

for economic recovery and demo-

cratic renewal. But the reformers

need a partner for growth.

Why is debt relief in exchange for

serious debt problems have been re-

solved. Debt relief is the basis of U.S.

bankruptcy law, which stands as the

model for all countries. Banks that

lend countries money solely to pay

borrowers to a stalemate. The credit

line increases every month, but the

debtor gets no closer to growth and

• It may be the only way to avoid world recession. The United States

cannot continue to provide the mar-

ket for world economic growth with-

out becoming overindebted itself. As

it buys less from debtor countries,

those countries will no longer have

Japan's rapidly aging population may stimulate demand for the health

care business but not for other goods

in the world market. West Germany's

declining birthrate means that it will

buy less from the rest of the world.

The explosion in Latin labor forces -

Mexico's will increase 50 percent by

the year 2000 - and their need for

job-creating investment must sustain

world growth in the coming decade.

But Latin countries and the Philip-

pines cannot invest enough for growth

WASHINGTON — Until now, the Democrats have held the

spotlight in the maneuvering for the 1988 presidential election. But that is

about to change. The leading Re-

publican contenders, Vice President

George Bush and the Senate minor-

ity leader, Bob Dole, are announcing

their candidacies in the next few

weeks. And recognition is growing

that odds favor the Republicans nominating the next president.

One important psychological factor could help the Democrats:

The idea that it is "time for a

change." But "objective condi-

tions," as Marxists like to say, give

the Republicans the edge.

America is at peace, no vital na-

tional interests appear in jeopardy

and President Reagan is about to

sign the first arms control agreement

with <u>Mikhail Gorbache</u>v, to be held

in the United States, cannot help but

boost Mr. Reagan's poll standing.

fifth year of steady economic

growth without inflation. The president has just approved a bipartisan

congressional mechanism for defi-

cit reduction that may ease the larg-

est threat to the economy.

Nothing is certain 13 months be-

fore an election, but trends are mov-

ing in the Republican direction.

From June to September, the num-

ber of people in The Washington Post-ABC News poll saying that things in America "have gotten pret-

ty seriously off on the wrong track"

54 percent. That is still not terrific,

but it probably reflects a rise in

economic confidence and the easing

of gloom induced by the Iran-contra

affair and its disillusioning effect on President Reagan's leadership.

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e 1979. The summit meetin

The United States is also in its

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reform the only solution?

books. They finance interest pay-ments instead of factories or farms, needlessly prolonged doubts about the and they widen the gap between a bank's paper claims and the real value of its holdings. People who advocate new loans to pay interest on debt seem to be arguing that if we make the problem worse, it will go away. Industrial countries see their ex-

ports continue to drop as America remains wedded to a policy of new loans. Indebted developing countries ask whether patience is really a virtue when the United States urges nothing more than a decade of recession. When the U.S. trade deficit diminish-• It is the usual and practical way es in real terms, as it will necessarily, es in real terms, as it will necessarily, relief that the country's sound poli-the problem can only worsen. Cur-cies have long deserved. If they fail to

> N EW YORK — The joint annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank unfailingly brings under one roof more bankers than any other assembly. It is the bankers' annual jamboree, and the sea of dark gray suits is,

for the visitor, quite overwhelming. The talk is often narrow and arcane. In recent years, there has been a touch of drama as the banks felt the wash of ulnerability when their Third World investments hit the rocks. But few bankers really delve into what is going on in the debtor countries. It is easier to deal with big figures than with the aches and travails of the poor.

Even those who watch the developing countries closely learned only recently, from UNICEF, just how bad

the 1980s have been for the poor. Malnutrition has risen in 10 African countries, in several Latin American countries, in parts of the Philippines and in Sri Lanka. (Notably,

The Early Betting Is on the Republicans

By David S. Broder

The impact of these changes is

reflected in the poll question about

which party has the best chance of

winning the presidency next year.

Voters give Republicans a 10-point

Another reason Republicans are

the early favorites is that Mr. Bush

and Mr. Dole are the only people

among the expected candidates of

both parties that a majority of all

voters consider "basically qualified"

to be president of the United States.

Mr. Bush has earned that degree

of confidence from 80 percent of

the registered voters in the survey; Mr. Dole from 74 percent. Seven of 10 Democrats in the sample gave

Only 54 percent of the Democrats

(and 44 percent of all registered vot-ers) considered the leading Demo-

cratic contender, the Reverend Jess

lackson, to be "basically qualified."

"leadership gap" will diminish. The majorities who now say they do not

know enough about the other Dem-

ocrats to judge their qualifications almost certainly will develop posi-

rive impressions of the survivors.

But all the reporting I have done for the past year underlines the impor-

tance voters attach to competence

and professionalism in the next president. And history shows how

difficult it is for newcomers to the

national scene to get over that bar-

Of the eight presidents since Franklin Roosevelt, only Jimmy

Carter was not widely known a year

before his election. And he lingers

in many voters' minds as a warning

of the risks of putting an untest-

rier of credibility and confidence.

As the field is winnowed, the

edge, 52 to 42 percent.

them that recognition.

rent policies only postpone the day of

reckoning, at great human cost.

The world financial system needs a

breath of fresh confidence. Only in-

terest rate and debt relief will bring

the necessary reforms in debtor coun-

tries. Consider what would be possi-

ble in three of the smaller debtor

The Philippines must deliver on its long-delayed promise of economic

opportunity for all Filipinos. There is

no way it can restructure its economy

without restructuring long-term military security in the Philippines will

become difficult to attain. Creditors

should say how much relief they

could provide to enable the Aquino

government to lay the foundations

for broad-based economic growth. The Reagan administration should

Ecuador, a country that has fol-lowed responsible policies through-

out its recent economic troubles, gets little help from its creditors. Before

the government leaves office next

January, its creditors should offer the

coordinate and lead that effort.

and meet all its debt obligations. Bu

nations if America would lead.

most Asian countries have done well.) Infant mortality, after decades of decline, has been rising in Barbados, Brazil, Ghana and Uruguay. In more than 20 other countries, the trend to-

ward improvement has stopped.

• Education has suffered. In Sri Lanka, school attendance is down. Education spending fell in one-third of African countries and in three-fifths

of Latin American countries. Health services have deteriorated as spending has fallen — by half in Africa, by 60 percent in Latin America. Spending in Bolivia fell 80 per-cent. Diseases thought to have been eliminated have reappeared — vaws

in Ghana, malaria in Peru. Unemployment has risen sharply. In Jamaica the jobless rate is 50

By Jonathan Power

percent among those aged 15 to 24. In Chile it rose from 15 to 24 percent;

ed stranger in the Oval Office.

Aside from the ever present dan-ger of the economy or the world

situation turning sour, the main rea-

son for caution about predicting a

Republican victory is the evidence of

developing in the country. The Post-ABC News poil asked respondents to choose between these statements:

'After eight years of Ronald Rea-

gan, we need a president who can set

the nation in a new direction," or

"We need to keep the country mov-

ing in the direction Ronald Reagan

By 55 to 41 percent, registere

voters wanted a "new direction." Three of 10 Republicans chose that,

A central question for the next few months, therefore, is whether

Republican candidates can plausi-

bly suggest ways in which their ad-ministrations might differ from, or

go beyond, the Reagan agenda. Such trailing Republican hopefuls as former Governor Pierre du Pont

Jack Kemp of New York have been

far bolder than Mr. Bush or Mr.

Dole in drawing their own designs. But Mr. Bush and Mr. Dole have

started to try. The vice president has suggested that he sees a more

activist role for government in edu-

the Kansas senator talks about pro-

grams that would help Americans

who are not sharing in the general

prosperity. These are tentative

recent interviews that they though

President Reagan had set the coun-

try on essentially the right course. If Mr. Bush and Mr. Dole appear as

status quo figures, they could lose.

The Washington Past.

moves, and both men told me in

beyond, the Reagan agenda.

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as did eight of 10 Democrats.

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"time for a change" psychology

Debt: Real People Are in Real Trouble in Turkey, from 15 to 20 percent.

• Wages are down sharply — by 20 percent in Turkey, 22 percent in Ghana and 30 percent in Mexico.

do this, they teach other governments

Costa Rica continues its long dem-

ocratic tradition on an isthmus in

crisis. It is a bitter irony that the burden of Costa Rica's debt could

destroy that country's relative calm

without any provocation from neigh-

boring Nicaragua. Its creditors have

gotiation above unilateral action.

debt crisis may go to Japan, Britain or even Brazil, and with it some indi-

cation of world financial leadership.

Will the United States provide the

leadership required to fight poverty

and support democracy, or will it

hesitate until the weight of the prob-

control it and lead, or it can react to it

.The Washington Post.

and follow. This is the choice.

Change is inevitable. America can

lem forces an outcome?

that sound policy doesn't pay.

This is the horror of recession, made worse by the often rigid process of deflationary adjustment urged on troubled countries by banks. Economic problems are producing the same kind of suffering as drought or famine.

Yet those affected have as little say as they do when the rains fail. What is needed, argues Richard Jolly in a UNICEF publication, "Adjustment With a Human Face," are policies that "protect and even improve the well-being of the vulnerable during adjustment." Adjustment with a human face is carried out in a more measured way - and may require

more lending and aid - than the bankers' conventional approach. But it is the wiser course. Policies that undermine the health and education of children are undermining a country's most valuable asset, it's human resources. They weaken its future economic capacity.

Of course, it is not just up to the bankers. Third World countries must work harder. For example, Philippine government subsidies to four hospitals for the affluent were nearly five times total government spending on primary bealth care in 1985. Yet little Burkina Faso, one of the poorest countries in the world, was able to vaccinate 60 percent of its children at a time of

drought and adjustment. South Korea also shows the way. During the recession it reduced its trade and budget deficits while spending more on social welfare programs; nutrition improved, infant mortality

fell, absolute poverty declined. Slowly, some of this debate has edged into the discussions of the gray-suited men and women. But too

ste, and after too much damage. International Herald Tribune. All rights reserved.

The Press Has a Duty Least S To Publish

PARIS — The First Amendment P forbids Congress to pass any law restricting the freedom of speech or of the press. It says nothing about press freedom not to publish, or not er to withhold information of clear and urgent public import for later inclusion in a megabucks book.

But debate and interpretation of

the special protection afforded the press has long been based on the right of the citizen to know what is avail able. The press, including The Washington Post, regularly argues that it publishes material that can be embarrassing to the government and the nation as a matter of duty. "Let the pain fall where it may, publish and be

dammed," is an old newspaper maxim.
So it comes as a shock to read that
Bob Woodward of The Washington.
Post hoarded information from the
late CIA Director William Casey that could have made an important contribution to the recent congression Iran-contra hearings. How many editorials were there questioning the veracity of Lieutenant Colonel Oliver North and the forgetfulness of Rear Admiral John Poindexter?

The familiar question has to be put again in another version: What did the editors of The Washington Post know and when did they know at? It is distasteful to criticize the major

competitor of the newspaper I work for, and I hesitated at first. But this is a serious issue of principle for all the press, and there is a risk of undermining the important constitutional gua-antee on which we all rely if the judg-ment on when to publish and how is seen to turn on sheer commercial inpact. It will not make it easier to asset the public's right to know and to know in a timely way the next time there is a delicate matter of public policy.

Among other revelations, Mr.

refused even to consider Costa Rican proposals for debt relief. If they do not soon offer relief, they cannot ex-Woodward reports that Mr. Casey knew of the diversion to Nicasagaan pect the government always to value contras of profits from secret arms Third World debt is not an esoteric sales to Iran; that Mr. Casey solicited issue: At present levels, it creates pov-Saudi Arabia's aid first to try to assas erty and destroys American jobs. As sinate and then to bribe the Lebanese debt service blots out investment op-portunities in the Third World, the Hezbollah leader, Sheikh Mohammed Hussein Fadlallah, not to attack risk of global recession grows.

The Reagan administration's policy is no solution. If it continues, the credit for finding a solution to the American installations; that Mr. Casey personally ran "off-the-shelf" covert actions without the legal require-

ment of congressional oversight.

Mr. Woodward and another reporter wrote about the attempted assau-nation of Sheikh Fadlalish in a Pos article in 1985, describing it as a "rm away" anti-terrorist mission backed by the CIA. The Post said they did not then know that Mr. Casey had enlisted Sandi help for the car bomb operation, which missed its target but killed 80 other people in a Beinut suburb.

Assuming that Mr. Woodward_is elling the truth about what Mr. Casey disclosed to him - and if not, that offer his information to the congressional investigators and to the special prosecutor? Was it available as a basis for questions to other witnesses?

Apparently, Mr. Woodward felt re-lieved by Mr. Casey's death of any promise of secrecy he may have made. But Mr. Casey died on May 6, just as the hearings were starting, and they can on all summer. Given the time it takes to produce a book, it must have been written before the hearings ended.

The problem of moral obligation was treated somewhat differently in the case of Gary Hart's romances. It was The Miami Herald that mounted a rather shabby stakeout to catch Mr. Hart at dalliance, But The Washing ton Post then reported that it had further information, which it took to Mr. Hart, threatening to publish -whereupon the former senator to nounced his candidacy for president

Later it was reported elsewher that this information came from Mr. Woodward, whose apartment Mr. Hart had used for an affair. As faras I know this has not been denied, and The Washington Post defended its action as being in the public interest because it matters for the public to know about the character of a man who is running for president.

These are not legal issues. But the are intrinsic to the code of ethics that must support and justify the constitu tional protection for the purpose of informing the public. It is remarkable that Mr. Woodward pried so much sensitive information out of Mr. Cosey. It is even more surprising that such a good reporter, who works for a vigorously enterprising newspaper would sit on such an explosive story for such a long time.

That does not help the difficult, unending task of defending press fre-dom and accurate information against the myrisd interests seeking to distort deceive or suppress. The right to publish implies a responsibility to let the public know important news without delay. It is an element of credibility. The New York Times.

1912: Balkan War Fever 1937: China on Its Own

The whole city seems to be well aware of what is in the air, and demonstrations in favor of war with Turkey are taking place. A traveller from Belgrade states that signs of an imminent mobilization were to be noted there. The Servian Minister of War is in Sofia, an undoubted indication of Servia's intention to cooperate with Bulgaria in the event of war. Whether the Greek Government intends to order mobilization is uncertain.

NANKING - Mme. Chiang Kal-

said today [Sept. 29] that "there is 10 more prospect of Soviet intervention than there is of Anglo-American intervention" in the Sino-Japanese was. The American policy of hesitancy because of a fear of offending Japan was characterized by Mme. Chiang Kai-shek as short-sighted. VIENNA — Chancelor Kurt von

there justify doubts on this point LONDON - The death was an nounced today of Lord Robert Per chief author of the partition proposals which are being angrily contested by the Jews and Arabs of Palestine. He was 70 years old.

The Visite By Flora Lewis

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IN OUR PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

SOFIA --- Wild excitement has been aroused in Sofia by the report that a decree mobilizing the Bulgarian army will be issued this evening [Sept. 29]. If the decree orders only a partial mobilization there is still hope for peace, which is little likely, however, if the entire army be mobilized. The Cabinet, presided over by King Fer-dinand, has been sitting the greater part of the day and is still in session.

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The Visitor to Poland Told To Pull At Least Some of the Truth

By A.M. Rosenthal

N. U.S. vice president, had the opportunity of a lifetime, right there in his hands in Warsaw. All he had to do was stand up and speak to the Polish people. The Poles know those truths, of course. They have lived with them, fought, died, been overwhelmed and still struggle because of them.

So Mr. Bush would not have been bringing revelations. But he would have brought what Poles consider the greatest of gifts—understanding of their truths, the readiness to confront Polish officials

ON MY MIND

By A.M. Rosenthal

has doled out more rationed liberties in Poland in the last few years because the Community government knows that without them the Poles would rise again in reborn Solidarity, legal or not. The United States sometimes applies what it likes to think of as the carrot and the stick to the Jaruzelski government—help in exchange for new "reforms." But General Jaruzelski proceeds at his own brought what Poles consider the greatest of gifts—understanding of their truths, the readiness to confront Polish officials

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on them and, most of all, the willingness to speak out about these truths in public.

The truth is that Solidarity, which I fought its way to legal recognition in glass 1980, was rooted in years of struggle by Polish workers demanding free misons. Solidarity burgeoned into the Angust 1980, was rooted in years or struggle by Polish workers demanding free mions. Solidarity burgeoned into the first and only popular political movement in all of Eastern Europe. It grew on the hopes, courage and rage of the Poles.

The truth is that it was Solidarity's massive public support that allowed Poles to march in the street without

Poles to march in the succession Poles to march in the succession being shot, to speak their mind without Recause of Solidarity. fear of arrest. Because of Solidarity, once again the world stirred with the longing and dream of Poland, for the sweet flowers of political springtime.

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The muth is that when someony, by Lech Watesa, use randay from Gdansk, seemed to be leading Pofrom Gdansk, scenicu to be a fine from Mos-land into a real degree of freedom, Moscow acted. It commanded the Polish Communist government to outlaw Solidanty, restore "order" — or Poles would starve and shiver under crippling econonne panishment. In the very near oackground was the threat the first that of the
do the job, the Soviet army would.
The much is that a Polish general called

Wojciech Januzelski took over and did Worden January was to a war was what the Russians wanted. He declared martial law in December 1981, and made Solidanity illegal. He did indeed restore order, the order of the police not squad. There is one more truth. The general

Poland: A Test of Openness Poland will be a test of the open-ness of Mikhail Gorbachev's foreign policy. If Moscow desires an honest agreement with the West, it will be ready to accommodate liberalization or even democratization in Poland. The American role in such a transformation would arm to restrain Moscow from direct military intervention and restrain Polish anthorities from drastic repression. America should create economic incentives to make liberalization attractive and hardline policies unattractive.

__ Leszek Moczulski, a Polish dissident leader, writing in The Washington Post.

game, usually no great harm done. He goes in to see General Jaruzelski

suggests a faster pace toward internal liberalization, particularly legalization of outlawed Solidarity. The general apparently answers him with the polite diplomatic equivalent of put it in your ear.

Then Mr. Bush does what was pro-

grammed in any case. He tells the ge and the world that America will help Poland get foreign economic assistance to ease its staggering foreign debt, built up by previous Communist governments trying vainly to buy Polish affection.

The vice president sees Lech Walesa, flashes a Solidarity sign or two and gets a polite response. But when he is asked to say a public word about legalizing Solidarity, he declines. He says something obscure about America not having to go into "all that" again.
"All that" — the legalization of Soli-

darity — is important enough so that the International Labor Organization found Poland in violation of its freedom of association standards. The Jaruzelski government is preparing to leave the

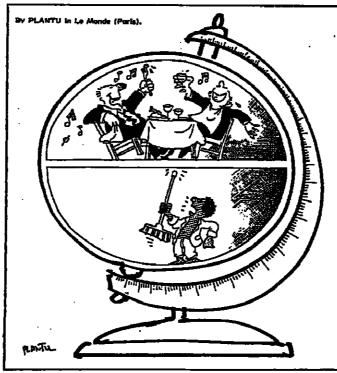
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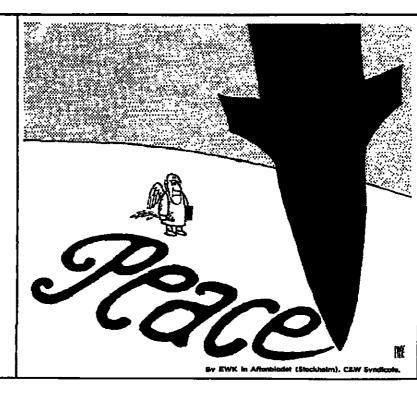
There it was, right in Mr. Bush's hands — the chance to stand straight and speak out. Not to make propaganda, not even to pressure the Polish gov-erument but to do what people who want to be president are supposed to do

get up there and tell the truths.

The first day he did not take it and it seemed a sad time for those who believe that the Polish spring can come only if the rest of the world pays attention. But then, before he left Warsaw, Mr. Bush gave the general a bit of a surprise. On television he told the Polish people themselves that the United States

wanted Poland to take greater strides toward political and economic liberalization. He made clear U.S. sympathy for Solidarity by mentioning Mr. Walesa's name, for years banned on the air. Mr. Bush did not say everything nor bring the Poles a change in their lives. Americans cannot do that. But he brought them a gift they wanted — standing up in remembrance of at least some of the truths of Poland.





LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

M'Bow and UNESCO: Controversy Is Built Into the Job

I read with great interest Dragoljub Najman's opinion column, "The Season of Decision at UNESCO" (Sept. 24), concerning the upcoming election of a director-general of UNESCO.

While I do not entirely agree with Mr.

Najman's concluding paragraph, let me begin by congratulating him for a most perceptive analysis of UNESCO's three "original sins." There has been little discussion among opinion-makers and the informed public of the remarkable vulnerability that has always been the lot of the United Nations's unique institution of intellectual cooperation.

It should be realized more widely that most of the organization's directors-gen-eral have left amid political crisis, often with searing personal results. So it was that individuals such as Julian Huxley, Jaime Torres Bodet, Luther Evans and Vittorino Veronese could not fulfill their terms of office because of the inherent controversy in any attempt to bridge cultures and ideologies through ideas.

Only René Maheu and Amadou Mahtar M'Bow have served two consecutive terms each as director-general. Both however, were subjected to the same charges of "despotic management, demoralizing the secretariat and alienating many member countries."

Elected in 1974, and re-elected unanimously in 1980, Mr. M'Bow came under fire only with the ideological attacks on UNESCO that resulted in the unfortunate withdrawals of the United States, Britain and Singapore. Mr. Najman, who held a high position in the organization's liaison service with member states, knows

I find it a little curious that one who served in a very senior capacity for a decade under Mr. M'Bow should suddealy note management problems in the organization. Neither UNESCO's external auditor (who happens to be the audi-tor-general of the United Kingdom) nor the U.S. General Accounting Office found evidence of mismanagement when they studied the organization.

I must share with Mr. Najman my conviction that his article makes a fundamental error in personalizing issues that are historical, political and institutional. D. DIENE.

Spokesman for the Director-General. . UNESCO. Paris.

Third World, but No Ghetto

In the article on Jacques Kerchache, "Fighting for 'First Arts'" (June 26), by Michael Gibson, the Museum of African and Oceanic Art is discussed in a manner I find quite surprising. It hardly seems fair to describe this establishment as a "ghetto."

The Museum of African and Oceanic Art naturally cannot hope to compete with the Louvre. Our museum should more properly be judged by its activities and policies of the last several years. The exhibitions that we organize are a far cry from the ghetto practices you mock; they deal with contemporary artists or art forms of the Third World.

In this regard, we opened an exhibit of the works of three Algerian painters on Sept. 24, on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of that nation's independence. (This apparently is the only to observe this anniversary.) Another project of international interest is being prepared for next summer, an exhibition called "Art for Africa." Works on display will be sold at the end of the show to benefit Africa; many well-known art-

ists will be taking part.

I would be happy for you to come and form your own opinion of our misseum, which, at a time when eastern Paris is becoming a pole of cultural attraction, is doing its best to be a part of this trend. HENRI MARCHAL,

Curator and Director. Museum of African and Oceanic Art. Paris.

A Question of Security

P.S. Cantrill's concern about Mordechai Vanunu's arrest and trial miss mark (Letters, Sept. 15). The "evidence" of "Israel's nuclear arsenal" in a recent Jane's Defense Weekly is irrelevant. Even if the purpose of the Dimona nuclear plant were absolutely determined, its employees would be under security regulations. An American Vanunu, even of a well-advertised operation, would be brought to court. The Soviet response would be even more prompt and direct.

JOSEPH LERNER

Russia's Expansive History

In "Fewer Missiles Will Mean Fewer Options" (Sept. 4), Edwin M. Yoder Jr. states that "Russia has historically been a cantious, isolationist power, more invaded than invading." I wonder what historical basis such an allegation has.

Russia, a relatively small nation in Eastern Europe, expanded in centuries to the North Sea and the Danube delta, through Siberia to the Pacific Ocean and in the southeast to the Hindu Kush mountains. Now the Soviet Union's troops extend from Berlin to disputed slands in northern Japan and from Tallinn to Kabul, and they hope for more influence on all continents.

PAUL PETRESCU.

One That's Thriving

Regarding "American Schools Share Dollar's Travails Abroad" (Sept. 9): The American Community School in

England appears to be going against the trend you describe of declining enrollment for American schools in Europe. Enrollment at our campuses in Cob-ham, Surrey, and Hillingdon, Middlesex, has increased on average by 100 places per year: 1,170 in 1985-86; 1,349 in 1986-87; 1,450 in 1987-88. Sixty-five

percent of our students are American.

This growth is due to the development of close relationships with international companies, the identification of market trends, and a continuous program of upgrading both teaching and facilities.
All ACS Middlesex students who have received international Baccalaureate diplomas since the program was in-troduced have been offered places at

universities. Studies indicate that suc-

cess at the IB level almost always guarantees success at university level. ROGER LEWIS, Director. Development and Communications. American Community Schools.

Cobham, England.

For Big Boys, **Power Toys**

By Jonathan Engel

PARIS — For all their vaunted economic innovation, the Japanese and West Germans are failing to provide the products that their movers as shakers require. What those countries need is an American gift catalog. Mail-order guides for busy go-get-

ters could also work wonders reducing world trade tensions. By importing executive gadgets from America's entre-preneurial warehouse, foreigners could trim the U.S. trade deficit.

First, to organize and motivate the work force, there are audio and video

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personal achievement tapes and hightech devices to simplify countless daily tasks. Among the tapes' modest titles are "Choosing Your Own Greatness," You at the Top" and "Speak to Win." Not forgetting "Power Memory." Power is the vital concept here. To

help the busy executive sort through his ties, there is a power tie rack. "A press of the button parades neckties past you, in forward or reverse directions, at a blis-

tering pace of three ties per second."

But neckwear can only do so much. That's where the chocolate diet comes in. It seems simple enough for most super-achievers. "The diet plan doesn't require you to count calories, weigh por-

tions, rotate food groups or reme the day of the week," the ad says. Perspiring usually plays a role in slimming so another company markets a deodorant with a difference — "a natural body deodorant in the form of a fist-size crystal opalescent stone. Just moisten the

stone and rub it on your underarm area." It also looks great on the coffee table. Slim and strategically fragrant, an executive still faces a pallor problem unless he's wearing a polo shirt that allows solar infiltration to produce an

even tan with no alligator marks. Executives need to sleep soundly. Two devices in particular do the trick. one of them by eliminating the snoring of your not-so-silent partner.

Strapped to the partner's wrist, this "audio sensor detects the first sounds of snoring, then emits a gentle static pulse" to the brain, interrupting the snoring pattern, but not the wearer's sleep. The ad does not tell how the brain reacts to this electronic barrage if the wearer is not the one sawing the logs - or whether the detector reacts to

snores of large household animals. The other necessary device for a deep sleep provides the "white noise" of moving water to create "a soothing, relaxed atmosphere, cleansing the brain of extraneous thoughts." This versatile unit can synthesize "the sound of falling rain, a waterfall or the genule lapping of the surf." If you prefer to let your bathroom faucet run, you're not on the fast track.

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A Centennial Mestage from the International Herald Tribune

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CALENHIL By Camille McDuffie It was quite a night. Against a glittering backdrop of Manhattan skystrapers, in the newly developed Port Libené on New Jersey's Gold Coast, America said a spectacular farewell to the Flame

of Liberty, a replica of that held high by the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor. There were fireworks, speeches by government leaders and patriotic songs, all in honor of the Parisbound Flame. The drive to fund the monument has been led by the International Herald Tribune as part of its Centennial celebration.

The roots of the event go back more than a century, when the people of France sought to honor America with the gift of a statue symbolizing liberty. But a hitch developed: America had not completed the promised pedestal Joseph Pulitzer, editor of the New York World, railied his countrymen with 2 call to donate for the cause. They did, and soon after Lady Liberty was standing proudly in New York Har-

Now, another newspaper is honoring the friendship between France and the United States. And the unveiling ceremonies and sendoff in New Jersey — the state where the Flame was constructed — were an important step along the path.

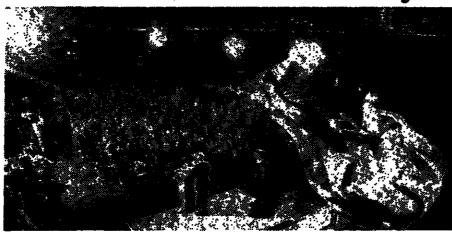
The site was thoughtfully chosen. Port Liberté provides a spectacular view of the Statue of Liberty itself as well as of Manhattan's bright lights. The night was clear and guests gathered in the yacht chib area, near the outdoor stage where the Flame was on view.

The United States Military Academy Glee Club came from West Point to open the ceremonies with the French and U.S. national anthems, and Irving Berlin's "A Patrionic Medley".

New Jersey Gov. Thomas

NOTES ON A CENTURY

Americans Bid a Fond Farewell To Paris' New Flame of Liberty



Port Liberté ceremonies for the Flame of Liberty against Manhattan backdrop.

ship between Prance and mandy and in the Straits of those risks ... for our com- part of the restoration movemon love and our common need for liberty ... liberty not as a means to a political end but as the bigber political end"

Kean spoke of the Parisian setting of the IHT, and the important press freedoms Paris, the Flame now awaits existing in France and else- a second celebration in its where, freedom which is honor. This comes Oct. 1, at "truly the reality of our liber- a benefit dinner at the Palace ty. We pass this flame to the of Versailles, marking the aryears of friendship."

duced a videocaped greeting will be dedicated next spring. from President Reagan, exthe official toest to the one year ago this week with

Appropriately, the evehead of Les Meralliers Cham- all over the world and from who worked on the restons- ranging from large French H. Kean led the tributes, tion of the Statue of Liberty and American corporations the Centennial year.

reminder of the long friend- Flame. They are skilled in in Mamaroneck, N.Y., from reposesé, the raised relief tech-America. "So tonight as we nique originally called for by light this torch," he said, "let the French architect who do- attended a benefit film showthe Flame stand for Franco-American friendship forged Angust Bartholdi. Wiart and on the barriefields of York- his team spent more than town, Chateau Thieny, Nor- four months building the two-ton Flame at their work-Hommuz, But let it also stand shop in Paterson, N.J. Speakfor the reason we have ing for his team, Wiart said fought those battles and run that they were "proud to be a

ment and of history." The fireworks display that concluded the salure to the Flame reminded onlookers of French people," he added, rival of the Flame in France.
"and say thank you for 200 The monument will be in-

The drive to fund the a reception at the Pans resining did not end without 2 France Joe Rodgers. Contrifew words from Jean Wiart, butions have come in from penois, the French artists many hundreds of donors,

saluting the Flame with a and who crafted the Liberty to a high school French class hundreds of Paris area children and their parents who ing to a contributor in Chile who sent one U.S. dollar and the simple note: "For Liber-

The IHT worked dosely in organizing the drive with Kevin McCarthy Associates, a New York City law firm. The American Club of Paris also played a leading role in organizing support.

The Liberty Flame evening was one of three events

last year's birthday celebra-tion for the Statue of Liberty. memmorating the IHT's After its Air France flight to Centennial. In April, the IHT was honored as "Newspaper of the Year" at the Overseas Press Club Awards dinner in New York. In late September, the IHT held a birthday party at the Museum of Modern Art. Several ars of friendship." stalled this winter at a perma-the governor then intro-nent site in central Paris and new exhibition of the early photographs of Henry Cartier-Bresson, co-sponsored by tending anniversary good Flame has now mised ap-wishes to the IHT. Former proximately \$400,000, the and shared a gigantic 100-U.S. Ambassador to France original goal when the cam- candle birthday cake. The Evan G. Galbraith then led paign was launched exactly Carrier-Bresson exhibition will be at the museum until Nov. 29, when it will move dence of U.S. Ambassador to on to Detroit, Chicago, San Diego and Houston.

> This is the 32nd in a series of messages about the IHT which will appear throughout

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By Aljean Harmerz New York Times Service

Y OS ANGELES - When David Puttnam resigned as chairman secretaries and carpenters kicked the walls or cried. Actors, agents and producers opened the cham-

Putmam, the British producer of such notable movies as "Chariots of Fire" and "The Killing Fields." had declared he would transform Hollywood. Instead, he resigned 13 months after he took charge of Columbia, and his short reign says as much about Hollywood as it does about the gentleman boss in shirt

He announced his resignation in the off-the-cuff way that kept driving his publicity department crazy. It was at a monthly seminar, called The Reel Truth," he held for any Columbia employee - from prop man to vice president - who wanted to talk about the studio's new films. The real truth about David Puttnam is more opaque.

Did he resign by choice or was he

pushed? He was enough of a realist thwarts a villain who can turn docto want to make entertaining moviles, and enough of an idealist to isbed version, the film received two want his films to have social value. research screenings and the re-He insisted he would change "the sponse was poor. abuses of the system." To avoid the

salary games that were partly re-sponsible for inflated budgets, he said a few months ago that Columbia would not pay actors more than they usually earned. And Columbia would not work with "phony producers who put their brother-inlaw's salary on their budget." What surprised and dismayed

him most about Hollywood was the amateurishness. As the producer of Englishman colonizing foreign shores, he wanted to change the way the natives did things. Did the system defeat him or did he defeat

Immediately after he took over Columbia in August 1986, Putinam signed Bill Cosby. In "Leonard: Part VI." a comedy-adventure scheduled to be released on Dec. 18, Cosby plays a former superspy who

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According to Columbia sources. Victor Kaufman, who has been put in charge of Columbia as well as Tri-Star as part of a financial reorganization by Coca-Cola Co., told executives not to screen the film again because it played too poorly. Coshy has been reported to be

angry with Columbia. Observers on the set of "Leonard: Part VI" confirm the tension between Cosby and Paul Weiland, the movie's intwo dozen movies, he had been the experienced British director. Puttcomplete professional. Now as an nam had given Weiland this break. just as he had hired Ridley Scott. Alan Parker, Hugh Hudson and Adrian Lyne out of commercials.

But Putmam's personal movies had not had stars. This was Hollywood, and the star system means that stars must be kept happy. Cosby has made a public statemen with his feet. He has signed to do his next movie with Warner Broth-

In answer to questions about whether he was unhappy with Co-lumbia, Cosby replied through a spokesman, "I am very pleased with the material we have and are now in the process of editing."

When Puttnam was hired by Coca-Cola, he was the first real filmmaker to run a movie studio in decades. He agreed to head the studio for only three years, a contract that Hollywood's power brokers found incredibly naive. Since movies take a minimum of 15 months to write, produce and dis-tribute, his self-limited contract would make him a lame duck by the start of his third year.

Puttnam was convinced that the soft-drink giant would give him autonomy to build a studio that looked toward the world market and he formed a team that included British and Australian executives. "David confused soft Southern

accents with Southern gentlemen." with Puttnam, as well as with every other studio head in town. "Even though he spoke too much and kept putting his foot in his mouth, it's a



David Puttnam: Naïve?

shame. Because his aspirations were right." These comments echo a theme in

the industry's executive suites. If Puttnam had stopped talking about changing the system he might have been able to change it.

Puttnam spoke about the kinds of reasonably priced movies he wanted to make with actors who were interested more in the roles than the money. He cited "Ishtar" as a nightmare example of a picture that spent \$13 million (of a reported total cost of more than \$40 million) simply to buy two stars and a director. And he said that "Ghostbusters II" would not be made if it required paying Bill Murray as much as he was asking.

There are studios that do not want to make movies with expensive stars like Beatty, but nobody says it out loud.

In the end, Puttnam's demise was not because of his refusal to play the company game in a company town. He was simply the accidental fall guy in a stock deal. He was unseated because Coca-Cola wanted to maximize its assets and folded Columbia into Tri-Star.

Puttnam will return to producing ictures for Warner's, but his Columbia movies, a dozen or more, will be around through the summer of 1988. He was watching his words the day after he resigned. Kaufman had promised that Puttnam's team, headed by Columbia's president, David Picker, would be given a chance to run the studio. And he said a producer who has worked did not want to say anything that would interfere with its chance.

Hollywood regarded his belief in surances as another examsuch as ple of his naïveté.

Archer's Courtroom Melodrama

By Sheridan Morley TONDON - Before it opened L last week at the Queen's, Jeffrev Archer's "Beyond Reasonable Doubt" had already taken £500,000 (about \$800,000) in advance sales. One could therefore as usefully review the gold bars in the Bank of England as a thriller which is thinly covered in dust and comes as a gently aimless reminder of the kind of courtroom melodrama that used to play Saturday teatime matinees

THE LONDON STAGE

at seaside repertory theaters in the days when they could still afford a dozen actors in expensive clothes

Reviews are not supposed to reveal too much plot, though it can safely be disclosed that as the curtain rises we find Frank Finlay as the chairman of the Bar Council defending himself on a charge of wife murder, with Jeffry Wickham appearing for the prosecution before Andrew Cruickshank's avuncular Scots judge. Act 1 is the trial, and for Act 2 we are transported in flashback to Finlay's stately home where we find his wife (Wendy Craig), a friendly solicitor (David Langton) and an eventual explanation of what really happened. If the first half of the play is a homage to Agatha Christie, the second half is a tribute to Terence Rattigan. Venerable jokes about cricket and the bar, with an occasional quote from Dylan Thomas for the intellectuals.

Complete with requisite final twist, Archer's play seems to have been not so much written as assembled from the spare parts of earlier stage thrillers. It is immaculately played, directed (David Gilmore) and designed (Tim Goodchild) but ultimately as dead as the corpse which caused the trial. For all that, this one will (as they say) run and barked on an Odets-where-is-thyrun: not exactly a whodunit or a sting policy of West End reconsidhowdunit or a whydunit, all of eration which started with "The which can be worked out early in Country Girl" a few years ago and the first scene, nor even a latter-day mix of snobbery with violence, but Knife" at the Albery. instead a familiar old English court circular. Whatever his literary or dramatic shortcomings, Archer has might in many respects have been always had a sharp sense of British written) and filmed five years later popular taste, and what local audi- with Jack Palance, this is ostensibly ences have always much enjoyed is the story of an actor having to a really slow and uneventful thrill-choose between his artistic theatri-



has survived these last 40 years.

Apart from a very occasional musical or National Theatre revival of "Golden Boy," the British theater shamefully ignores the work of Clifford Odets who, though a lesser dramatist, opened up the confessional dramatic path to Arthur Miller and even Tennessee Williams in the United States. It is therefore greatly to the credit of the commercial production team of Martin Shaw (actor), Robin Lefevre (director) and Bill Kenwright (producer) that they have emnow continues with "The Big First seen on Broadway in 1949

with John Garfield (about whom it cal soul and a long-term Hollywood contract, though it is also of course largely about Odets himself and his own career agonies. Fearing perhaps that they alone would not be enough to sustain audience interest, the author gave his play a creakingly melodramatic undertone. The star actor has killed a child in a drunken car crash, and it is that knowledge which the studio uses to blackmail him into signing for another stint of rubbishy mov-

wrought script has little to do with out to a capitalist system. Coming from the author who 14 years earlier had written "Awake and Sing" and "Waiting for Lefty" and was 14 years later to die in California writing television soap operas, it has a ghastly kind of midlife-crisis fascination. But the real trouble with Odets was that he was deeply in love with the sound of his own typewriter, and all too often in this fable of moral absolutes the dia-

tured wife and Rod Steiger as the ert Glenister) whose mysterious ingely evil, faintly gay mogul reek-ing of the sour smell of success. On dering shipwrecks, manages to distage that balance of power has vide his native community and set shifted so that Gayle Hunnicutt one village up against another in and James B. Sikking give performances of such restrained good taste as to make themselves almost

and James B. Sikking give performances of such restrained good taste as to make themselves almost Inn' rewritten by Bertolt Brech. invisible. It is thus left to Shaw to you will have some vague idea of convey a vague impression of ethics the confusion here. Matthew Scott under pressure, while alone in a has written one of those scores than large cast David de Keyser as his make you want to hear his next, agent catches precisely the right and some strong players are led by seedy celluloid memories.

me, the National Theatre in the closing months of its Peter Hall quite manages to establish what quired a deep interest in communi- Sands as another mine-owner apty plays about working conditions pears to have wandered in from in the west of England a century something altogether different by ago. While we await Hall's own J.B. Priestley. What starts as an production of David Edgar's "En- animated lecture about the politics tertaining Strangers" (pub workers of copper-mining ends up as a picain trouble in Dorset), we have on resque murder story interrupted by the Cottesloe stage Michael Rud- catchy little numbers about the joys man's production of Nick Darke's of a day outing to Truro. To give "Ting Tang Mine" (copper miners' Darke his due, at least he is never in trouble in Cornwall), a folk mu-sical which might have played bet-where are at least three quite differter with a large amateur cast on its ent plays about local Cornish histo-own home territory rather than ry. Getting from one to another,

acters in a somewhat confused tale which bits of it really matter.

er. That is how "The Mousetrap" for Ida Lupino as the noble, tor- about a returning adventurer (Rob-

and Barbara Jefford as a transves-For reasons that so far escape ing in the name of Salathiel Treanigan. But none of them ever ment has suddenly ac- this play is about, and indeed Leslie

within the more cramped confines of the National's studio stage.

even on Carl Tome's marvelously versatile set, proves a little tricky We get an agile in the round and in the end Rudman seems to production, but no real sense that have decided, perhaps rightly, to neither Darke or his players care throw the whole ting-tangy ragbag much for or about any of the char- at the andience and let us sort out

Yet the moral dilemma at the heart of an overlong and overa dead child or a drunken driver. It's about a socialist man selling work at Cultural Thaw

By Celestine Bohlen

OSCOW - Washington and Moscow are working on improving their relations, and they are going to start with a little song and dance.

The thaw under discussion is not between the two superpowers, but between their two capitals, which logue sounds like Eugene O'Neill are now looking ahead to a full filtered through Hedda Hopper. The movie was mainly remarkable begin in January.

The original idea, broached by the Washington and Moscow Capi tal Citizens' Exchange, working with the support of the mayor, Marion S. Barry Jr., and the city council, was to explore the estab-lishment of a sister-city relation-

But halfway through their visit to Moscow last week, the Washington group learned that Moscow does not have sister cities, just bilateral relationships. "Peculiarities exist everywhere," explained Georgi Dyakov, external relations officer for the Moscow city council.

Washingtonians lobbied their cause and left town with tentative nitments for a full range of cultural events that could start as soon as next year's Martin Luther King holiday.
"We were told they hold King in

Undeterred by technicalities, the

great reverence here too," said Ted Gay, co-chairman of a Washington blue ribbon committee on the arts and economic development.

Fritzi Cohen, president of the citizens' exchange, established the group in 1985 as an offshoot of the peace movement. It now boasts 300 members and a source of cash, which was raised at a party last summer held in honor of the visiting Bolshoi Ballet.

"In looking for a way out of the nuclear dilemma, sister cities seemed like a natural," said Cohen The Washington delegation also included Cliff Smith, a member of Barry's cabinet and Jan Rothschild, a special events organizer.

Typically, establishment of a sister-cities project starts with an ex-change of visits by the mayors. In this case, the two sides are contem-plating a satellite hookup between the two capitals at which Barry and Valery Saikin, the Moscow mayor, would participate

Washington has sister-city relationships with Beijing, Dakar and Bangkok and less formal ties with Brussels. Moscow, which is not a member of the international federation of twin cities, has relation-ships with 70 cities around the world.

So far, in the negotiations. Washington has been the one to come forward with concrete proposals, which range from visits to Moscow next year by a vocal group, poet, filmmaker and dance group. Other ideas included a disogue on environmental issues. changes of photo exhibits, jazz and

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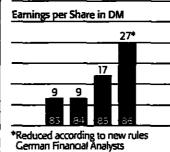
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Ayer Edges Out Thompson For Burger King Account

By PHILIP H. DOUGHERTY

EW YORK - N.W. Ayer Inc. has won Burger King Corp.'s \$200 million assignment in the biggest account switch in advertising history. The loser, J. Walter Thompson, is trying to regain its equilibrium after najor management changes and an unfriendly takeover by WPP

Thompson, Ayer and D'Arcy Masius Benton & Bowles were he finalists in a competition that started with 30 agencies. Burger ling, a Pillsbury Co. subsidiary, has 4,700 outlets in the United

Thompson is

expected to let up to

100 people go as a

Its advertising spending has grown apace; when Thompson irst won the account in 1976, was billing only \$24 million. Estimates on the number of hompson people who will be et go because of the switch re as high as 100, according p an informed source. Unlike Ayer, an indepen-

result of the switch. lent agency, Thompson's par-nt, WPP Group, is publicly eld. According to Alan J. Gottesman, an analyst with L.F. tothschild, a New York financial services firm, any negative ffect on WPP stock would have already been felt when Burger

frect on wire stock would have already been test when burger sing amounced its review of agencies.

Now, he says, Thompson can "probably dismember its support tructure" quickly in the fourth quarter and be ready for 1988.

hat is likely to be a bonanza year as agencies reap the profits that accompany soaring TV prices in a year with both a presidential and the Observate Garner. ial election and the Olympic Games.

Burger King, a distant second to McDonald's in fast food, is aving a flat year, according to Daniel R. Lee, an analyst at brexel Burnham Lambert. The average McDonald's, he said, has ales of \$1.4 million a year and the figure is rising; for Burger King, \$1.15 million and stable; for Hardee's, \$1.1 million and ising, and for Wendy's, \$800,000 and declining.

Grey Advertising of New York has acquired a British agency, lewton & Godin, of Tunbridge Wells, Kent, billing about \$26 nillion. Grey has been buying British service companies since 962, when it acquired Charles Hobson & Partners. Now it has 12 knitish companies in the marketing services field, and three of hem are agencies.

The purchase of the majority of stock in Newton & Godin, the argest agency outside London, will bring Grey's total British allings to \$320 million.

Anthony Simonds-Gooding has resigned the chairmanship of he communications division of Saatchi & Saatchi PLC of Britain and is being replaced by Victor Millar, 52, who will also continue a chairman and chief executive of the Saatchis' consulting

 Mr. Simonds-Gooding, 50, is to be chairman of British Satellite
 3roadcasting, a consortium that expects to serve 350,000 dishmeterna-equipped British households by late 1989 and five milion by the mid-1990s.

People

Roger Lavery has been appointed managing director at D'Arcy Masius Benton & Bowles, San Francisco. Madigan Pratt, J. Robert Lieber and Paul Levett were promot-

ed to senior vice president at Lowe Marschalk, New York. Steven R. Greenberger, Joseph A. Sander and Peyton Sise have seen elected senior vice presidents at William Esty Co. of New

Mary Ellen Argentieri has been named senior vice president and director of creative services at Hill, Holliday, Connors, Cosmopulos of New York.

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For Millions in U.S., a Job Costs Too Much

By Louis Uchitelle
New York Times Service
BOSTON — By all the rules of economics, Donna Van Name should be back in the work force. In prospering Boston, jobs go begging, particularly the sort of clerical work that Ms. Van Name did for John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. until her second son, Michael, was born in

But going back to work means costly child care, and that would consume most of the \$6 or \$7 an hour that Ms. Van Name could earn as a clerk or clerk-typist in Boston. Even if she could afford the child care, "a lot of centers won't take children under three years old," she said. Her third child, Kaitlin, was born last fall. Stuck at home, the 30-year-old mother tried to organize a day-care center in her cramped south Boston apartment. There were plenty of potential clients among aborhood mothers.

But Ms. Van Name would have had to spend hundreds of dollars on repairs to qualify for a state license. That was beyond the means of a family living precari-ously on welfare, food stamps and the \$200-a-week paycheck of the children's father, David.

Ms. Van Name wants a job. But the obstacles to her re-entry into the world of work - her child care needs, the low wage she would earn and the rundown slum housing — help to explain a curious phenomenon in the Unit-

At a time of declining unemployment and a growing economy, millions of Americans in their prime working years are remaining outside the work force. By Labor Department standards, they are not even counted as among the unemployed because they are not actively seeking a

This is a sharp departure from previous periods. The Depression, for example, created a huge corps of "unemployables," peo-ple considered too unskilled, too destitute or too discouraged to enter the work force,

But World War II brought them in anyway. And those on the sidelines in the early 1950s and late 1960s eventually went to work in significant numbers, when the unemployment rate dipped sharply and companies found themselves short of work-

But this time around, with civilian unemployment having fall-en steadily to 6 percent, the low-in the labor force itself, among



est level in 13 years, the magnet of unfilled jobs is failing to exert its

Indeed a new hard core of nonworking Americans has come into existence. They total somewhere between 10 million and 20 million people, even after excluding all the millions of people—housewives, students, the ill and disabled, and the retired—who remain out of jobs for traditionally acceptable reasons. These nonworkers are a diverse

They include 6 million people who want to work, but are not looking. Some of them, like Ms. Van Name, are among the 3.1 million mostly unmarried mothers who receive Aid to Families with Dependent Children, the principal form of welfare.

Others are classified by the Labor Department as discouraged

Overcrowded housing, poor health, lack of child care and isolation in slums are all barriers to work. "When you have a part of the society that has been pauperized, then you have also made them unemployable," an economist said.

workers. They have given up the job search because they do not believe they can find work. Among them are laid-off factory hands reluctant to take lower-sal-

end of last year. An unknown number of them, well into the millions, quit because of low pay, But the biggest contingent of economists say, and did not look for new jobs for long periods,

Floating from job to job is Maria Nieves, left, with her husband, Agusto,

grandson, Jose, and

daughter, Ivette. Mrs.

Nieves now is working as

a sewing machine opera-

tor, but says her output does not satisfy the com-pany. At a Massachusetts

store, evidence of worker

shortages.

the 17.9 million people that the rollment among the unemployed U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics listed as working less than half the year in 1986, for annual incomes of less than \$10,000.

"When they do not work they float," said Harley Shaiken, a la-bor economist at the University of California at San Diego. "They are the millions of statistically invisible people too discouraged by low wages to be more than marginally attached to the job market."

Maria Nieves, a Puerto Rican who barely speaks English, is one of those who float. For the past six weeks, she has been operating a sewing machine at \$6 an hour at Fidelity Sportswear in Boston. But this is Mrs. Nieves's first job since 1985, and she does not

This group represented 15.4 percent of the 115.8 million expect it to last long because she says she is not turning out enough Americans who held jobs at the clothing to continue to qualify for

the S6 wage.

Although Mrs. Nieves, who is
42, has a high school equivalency
certificate, her weak English limits her job opportunities, and she See NONWORKERS, Page 17

Salomon Rejects Offer by Revlon **Topping Buffett**

New York Times Service NEW YORK — Ronald O. Perlman, the chairman of Revion Inc., has offered to outbid the investor Warren E. Buffett for a substantial minority stake in Salomon inc., the parent of Salomon Brothers, Wall Street's biggest investment banking house.

Salomon said its board unani-mously rejected Mr. Perelman's of-

fer. Mr. Perelman on Monday offered Salomon the same \$700 million as Mr. Buffett, but said he would accept a 10.9 percent stake, instead of the 12 percent Mr. Buf-

fett would receive.
Under this plan, Mr. Perelman would be willing to pay \$42 a share for his stock in Salomon, rather than the \$38 that Mr. Buffett agreed to pay.

Salomon stock closed Tuesday up \$2.25 at \$37.

Mr. Perelman put Salomon on notice that he was seeking govern-ment antitrust clearance to buy stock if Salomon was "unable or unwilling" to sell him a part of the

He is understood to have moved into the market Monday to buy a small stake in Salomon.

"Perelman doesn't want to take over the company," said one executive close to Mr. Perelman. "Even if he buys stock, his intention is to be supportive of existing manage-

Asked whether Mr. Perelman was interested in joining Salomon's board, the source said, "If they want to give us a seat, fine; if not, they don't."

However, Mr. Perelman is wideviewed as a hands-on executive who made a tremendous profit in taking over Revlon and might not be willing to watch Salomon from afar for long. Mr. Buffett, on the other hand, is

seemingly content to take passive positions in undervalued situations and then watch them grow,

In making the overture, Mr. Perelman temporarily put aside his \$5.5 billion plan to take over Gillette Co. Gillette's stock fell 50 cents, to close at \$40.50, Tuesday on the New York Stock Exchange

Salomon called an emergency See SALOMON, Page 15

Dart Raises Dayton Bid By \$3 After Rejection

LANDOVER, Maryland -Dart Group Corp. sweetened its unsolicited offer Tuesday for Minneapolis-based retailer Dayton Hudson Corp. by \$3 to \$68 a share, after rejection of a previous bid.

Herbert H. Haft, Dart's chairman and Robert M. Haft, the presiboard they would pay \$68 a share plus stock in the merged company for each of Dayton Hudson's 97.4 million outstanding shares.

That raises the total of the bid to \$6.62 billion from around \$6.3 bil-

The Hafts said they were disappointment by Dayton's rejection of their \$65-a-share first offer, made Sept. 17, and complained that it was turned down without any discussion with them.

"We believe that Dayton Hud-

son has not realized the promises or potential to which its stockholders are entitled," the Hafts said.

Spokesmen for Dayton Hudson were not available for comment on the new bid. Monroe H. Greenstein, a retail

dustry analyst with Bear Stearns & Co. in New York, said he expectdent, said in a letter to Dayton's ed Dayton Hudson to continue to oppose a takeover by the Hafts. He called the \$68-a-share offer "a price they would fight."

The retailer took steps in June to head off a hostile acquisition, persuading the Minnesota Legislature to pass a tough anti-takeover law. Dayton Hudson stock rose \$1 to \$59.25 a share Tuesday in trading on the New York Stock Exchange. Dayton Hudson, the seventhlargest U.S. retailer, has had declining earnings for four consecutive

See DART, Page 15

Higher Rates Cloud Currency Rates G-7 Currency Accord

Japanese Monetary Policy at Issue

By Reginald Dale
International Herald Tribune

PARIS - The West's seven leading industrial countries have emerged from their latest conclave in Washington confident that they are beginning to reassert a degree of control over the world economy -enough, at least, to stabilize exchange rates for the time being.

They could not, however, banish nagging doubts that rising interest rates could jeopardize their efforts in the months ahead.

As if to justify the generally self-congratulatory mood in Washington, the dollar performed perkily in Europe and the Far East on Tuesday, although it was also helped by technical factors. But initial market reaction to the latest official effort to steady the dollar has been After their weekend talks, the Group of Seven - the United States,

Japan, West Germany, Britain, France, Italy and Canada — made it clear that they would continue to employ the same strategy that has kept the U.S. currency relatively stable for the past seven months. That strategy, set in place by February's so-called Louvre agreement in Paris, involves closer coordination of economic policies, backed by judicious currency

Ministers and central bankers attending the Washington talks expressed satisfaction with the arrangement. "We can only wait and see how it works out, but so far we've had enough cooperation among

Everybody would prefer to see 'a certain stability' in interest rates, but their levels 'cannot be decreed.'

> — Edouard Balladur, French finance minister

countries to help the exchange rate levels stay within the correct range," a senior U.S. Federal Reserve Board official told Reuters. But amid the soothing phrases generally employed by officials when

they want to stabilize exchange rates, many of the participants both privately and publicly expressed the fear that the difficulty of controlling interest rates could prove to be the strategy's Achilles heel.

Everybody would prefer to see "a certain stability" in interest rates said Edouard Balladur, the French finance minister, but their levels "cannot be decreed." A number of central bankers made much the same

point: They would prefer low interest rates, but they might have to raise them to curb inflation. Any significant rise in interest rates would pose a double threat to the Louvre strategy. It would dampen economic growth when Washington believes that its partners are not expanding their economies fast enough. It also could undermine the precarious stability of the dollar, particularly if rising rates outside the United States made dollar investments, and thus

the U.S. currency, less attractive. As it is, interest rates in Japan, West Germany and other countries have crept up, following those in the United States, over the past five months. And market rates in both Japan and West Germany have risen since Alan Greenspan, the new Federal Reserve Board chairman, moved to increase

the Fed's discount rate by a half-point to 6 percent earlier this month.

Analysts have said the Fed moved partly to support the dollar.

West German officials in Washington said that a rise this month in a key Bundesbank interest rate did not really mean a tougher monetary approach. But Japan's position has been ambiguous.

As the Washington meetings began last weekend, the United States

was putting pressure on Japan to deny press reports that a rise in its 2.5 percent discount rate was imminent. Satoshi Sumita, the central bank governor, did so at first, but then told

reporters that Japan had made no commitment. He added that while the bank would not raise its key rate immediately, monetary policy should be

"Japan made no official promise to the United States that we will not raise the discount rate for the time being," he said.

Karl Otto Pohl, the Bundesbank president, said he was worried that West German market rates were too high compared with those of the central bank; he suggested it was the market rates that needed to fall.

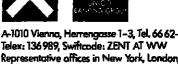
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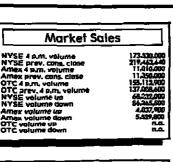
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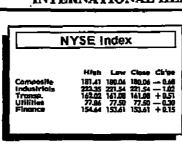
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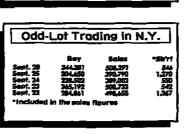
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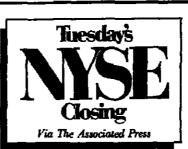
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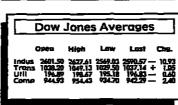


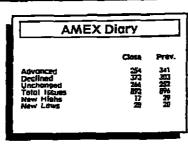
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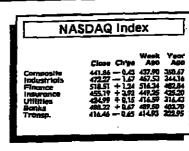








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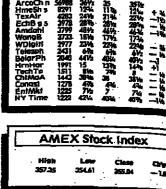
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Falls in Moderate Trading Dennis Jarrett, technical analyst at Kidder, Peabody & Co., said the dollar's strength should spur buying interest in both the bond and stock markets as the week progresses. He predicted that the market would move higher this week

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches NEW YORK — Prices on the New York Stock Exchange slipped late Tuesday in active trading as investors turned their attention from a strong dollar and succumbed instead to worries about the bond market's persistent weak-

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 10.93 points to close at 2,590.57, after rising 31.33 points on Monday. Losing issues ournumbered Arco Chemical led the actives, rising 3% to 35%, from an initial offering price of 32. The stock was offered by Atlantic Richfield, and amounted to 19.5 million shares. Atlantic Richgaining ones by about 3 to 2. field itself rose % to 94%.

Volume amounted to about 173.5 million shares, down from 188.75 million on Monday. Prices were also lower in moderate trading of American Stock Exchange and over-thecounter issues.

Traders said a strong dollar gave equities some support but that weakness in bonds curbed enthusiasm. They described investors' mood before the end of the quarter as apathetic and nervous.

Bill Lord, a trader at Shearson Lehman, said a collapse of bonds late in the session was the main culprit in the stock market's fall. He also cited futures-related arbitrage.

Mr. Lord said the decline in stocks still left the market ahead for the week, and he added that any further move down would be limited. "It's a very nervous market," said Edward Shopkorn, partner in charge of institutional equities at Mabon, Nugent & Co.

"The stock market is still basically following bonds," said Newton Zinder of E.F. Hutto "So until you see some improvement in bond you're not going to see much improvement

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Compaq Unveils Faster Computers

NEW YORK — Compaq Com-inter Corp. introduced Tuesday ew versions of its desktop and ortable computers based on Intel orp 's state-of-the-art \$0386 miporocessor. It said the computers faster than competing models. Compaq said the new computers se an 20386 chip that runs at 20 egahertz, or million cycles per

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Compaq said the new desktop sachine, the Deskpro 386/20, emloys a new system architecture, or perate up to 25 percent faster than ther 20-megahertz, 80386-based faster than 80386 computers run- The Model 300, priced at \$12,499. ning at 16 megahertz.

It said the machines are faster than 80386-based machines made by International Business Machines Corp. and Tandy Corp. IBM is now selling a 16-mega-hertz 80386-based computer and

control the operation of a computwill begin shipping a 20-megahertz model in the fourth quarter. Compan said it will offer three models of the new desktop ma-

The Model 60, priced at \$7,499, includes a 60-megabyte, or million units of storage, fixed-disk drive. The Model 130 has 130 megabytes

has 300 megabytes of fixed storage. Compaq also unveiled software, developed jointly with Microsoft Corp., that lets \$0386-based males run more than one job at a time. Software is the programs that

Compaq said its new Portable 386/Model 40 weighs 20 pounds (about 9 kilos) and is equipped with one megabyte of random access memory and 40 megabytes of fixed disk storage. It is priced at

\$7,999. The Portable 386/Model 100, priced at \$9,999, comes with 100 megabytes of fixed storage.

Porsche Revenue, Hit by Currency Fluctuations, Fell More Than 4% in Year STUTTGART — Luxury automaker STUTTGART — Luxury automaker February. Last year net profit fell to 75.3

Porsche AG, blaming sharp currency flucmations for a slowdown in the crucial U.S. market, reported Tuesday that worldwide revenue fell more than 4 percent last year. It said that as a result it would go upmarket in the United States, conce

its top range 911 and 928 models. Porsche said that worldwide revenue in the year to Aug. 1 slipped to 3.41 billion Deartsche marks (\$1.87 billion) from 3.57 billion DM the year before.

It gave no figure for profits but de-scribed them as satisfactory despite adverse currency movements and lower sales

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before. Porsche said actual sales in the United States accounted for 62 percent of total

It said that demand declined in markets outside the United States, including the domestic market. Exports accounted for \$1 percent of total group turnover after 78 percent the previous year.

Porsche sold 49,976 cars worldwide in

1986-87, down from 53,254 the year before. Foreign sales rose to 42,132 from 41,194, and domestic sales fell to 7,844 from

A company spokesman said Porsche planned to cut average daily production of its four-cylinder 924 and 944 models to 100 from 134, but would boost production of its classic six-cylinder 911, which is under-

going a face-lift. Since the family-owned firm attaches great importance to exclusivity, cutting back numbers should be seen as a positive

sign, several analysts said.
"It makes sense for Porsche to cut back on the 924 and 944 models and concentrate on the top end of the luxury car market," said Adrian Brundrett, car analyst at Ciribank AG in Frankfurt.

Industry analysts said the other West German luxury car makers, Daimler-Benz

AG, which makes Mercedes, and BMW AG, were less reliant on the United States for sales than Porsche.

"Porsche is over-exposed in the United States," said Stephen Reitman, an auto analyst at London brokers UBS-Phillips &

Daimler and BMW have already retreat-

ed to the top-end of the U.S. market. Daimler's 1987 U.S. sales are expected to rise to around 100,000 and BMW is likely to improve sales to 100,000 from

96,800, according to some analysts. But Porsche sales are expected to fall 15 percent from 30,500 cars sold in 1986, they

Brierley's Equity & Law Bid Is Raised to £457 Million

LONDON — Brierley Invest-bents Ltd., a New Zealand-based mancial group, said Tuesday that has raised its bid for Equity & aw PLC to 450 pence (739 cents) a

3lue Arrow Issue s Below Target

LONDON - Blue Arrow PLC, ne British employment agency that is completing a \$1.33 billion keover of Manpower Inc., said nesday that its related rights issue or £837 million (\$1.37 billion) re-Sived fewer-than-expected sharenkier acceptances of 48.9 percent. Bine Arrow, which had predicted 70 percent acceptance rate, ofared shareholders five new shares are every two held at 166 pence ach It was the largest British ghts issue from a company outde the oil sector, surpass onal Westminster Bank PLCs 714 million issue in May 1986.

Blue Arrow shares traded as high : 170 pence Tuesday morning, and te company said that the remainer of the 504.4 million new shares as been sold on the London Stock Exchange at an average price of 36.25 pence.

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company at about £457 million. Its cash bid, raised from 365

pence or £367 million offered on Sept. 4, follows acceptance last week by the British company's board of a sweetened bid of 446 ence by Compagnie du Midi, a eading French insurer.

With investors apparently ex-pecting a higher counter bid, Equity & Law's share price on the London Stock Exchange jur 20 pence to 455 pence Tuesday from its Monday firmish. Midi's offer, comprising shares

valued at £449 million or a full cash alternative of 435 pence, topped its earlier bid of 400 pence a share made after the first Brierley offer. Equity & Law had immediately rejected the first two bids.

Brierley owns 29.6 percent of Equity & Law through its unit IEP Securities Ltd. Midi is bidding through its British subsidiary, pagnie du Midi U.K. Ltd. Brierley said the offer was conditional on 50 percent acceptances

from Equity & Law shareholders. Brierley said it envisaged that Equity & Law's management would remain in place.

The British company had pretax profit of £8.3 million last year, on ium and investment income of £568.8 million.

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Notice is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY CENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Commany, 20, Bookward Emmanuel Servais, 2535 Lucembourg, on October 19th, 1987, 22 9:00 a.m., with the following agenda:

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 Change the Prospectus for the offer of shares in the company;
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Intermbourg, of their intention to be present or represented at the meeting, at least eight business days before the date of the Extraordinary General ing together with a proxy, if any. getered certificate(s) to be admitted to the meeting.

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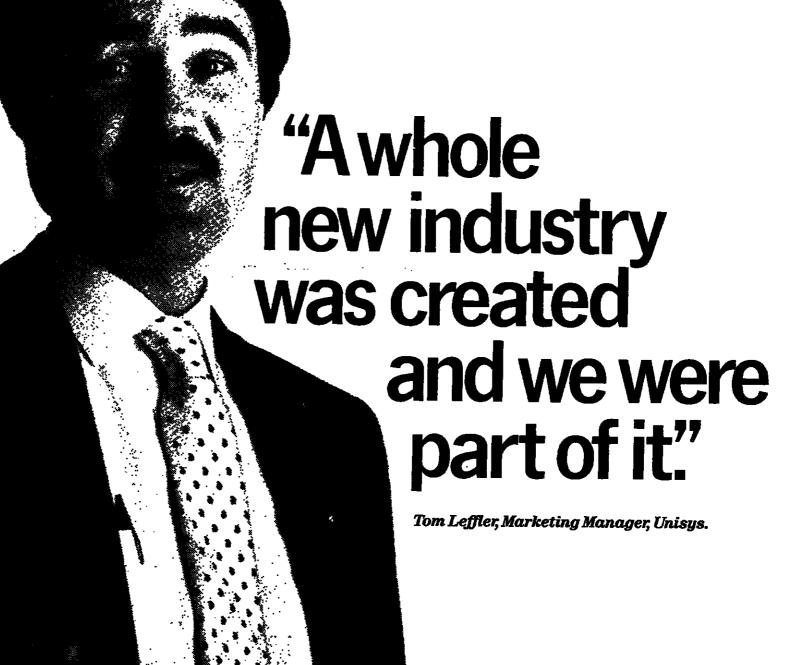
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tool and nine Unisys professionals, HSN had a working application in 90 days. In the next 18 months, they'd grown from zero revenue to almost \$700 million. "And they'd grown from our smallest mainframe to our largest computers. It's been incredible."

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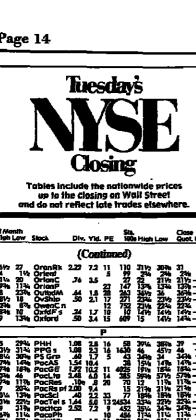
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Tin Producers to Extend But Revise Export Quota

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KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia — The Association of Tin Producing Countries agreed Tuesday to continue export quotas aimed at reducing a surplus on the world market.

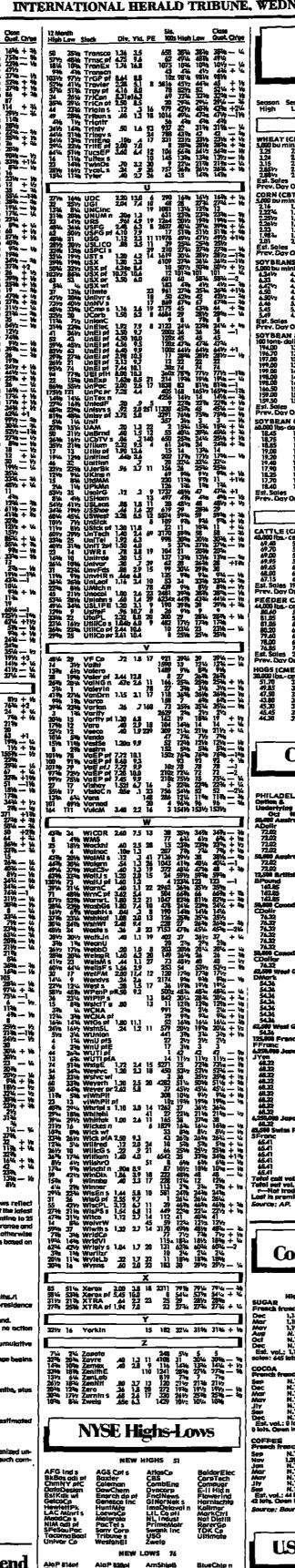
The Malaysian minister for primary industries. Lim Keng Yaik, said at the end of a two-day ministerial conference here that the one-year plan, introduced in March, was achieving its goals ahead of schedule.

The association groups Australia, Bolivia, Indonesia, Malaysia, Nigeria. Thailand and Zaire.

The association told its executive committee to draw up quotas for producing countries for the second phase of the effort, Mr. Lim added. The first phase pegged exports by members at 96,000 tons a year.

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Mr. Lim said that the group expected prices to stabilize at between 20 and 22 Malaysian ringgits (\$7.91 to \$8.71) at the end of 1988. Tin was trading Tuesday at 16.95 ringgits a kilogram on the Kuala Lumpur tin market.



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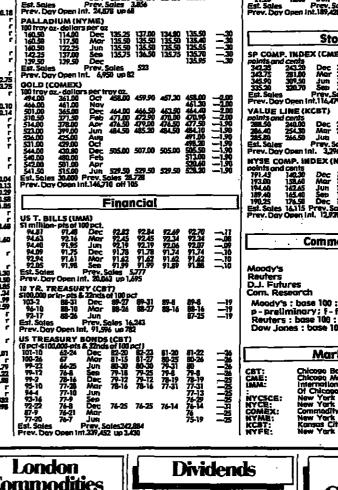
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Jughes Sees 'Satellite' Phones in '92

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Hughes applied to the U.S. Federal Communications Commission

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If approval is granted by the FCC this year, Mr. White said,

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The Hughes system would depend on a geostationary satellite

Charles Schelke, a telecommunithat would bounce microwave cations industry analyst for Smith Barney in New York, called the phone signals to and from cars equipped with a special antenna. Hughes announcement "intrigu-The antenna, only a few inches in ing," but said he doubted that such diameter, would be embedded in a system would be cheaper to operate than land-based cellular "The antenna would be a major breakthrough if it works," said

"I would think the power that would be necessary to transmit the signal off a satellite would make it ogy for the trade newspaper Com-munications Week. "It's always been the big challenge to build a much more expensive," Mr.

A spokesman for Hughes said it was projecting that the motorist's equipment would range in price from \$1,500 to \$3,500, but that phone service could be priced as low as 15 cents per minute.

Mr. Titch said that "reasonably good" cellular phone equipment can now be purchased for around \$1,000, with the cost of service ranging from 30 cents to 50 cents

In the United States, about 800,000 cellular-phone customers will pay more than \$1 billion in phone service revenue this year, Mr. Schelke said. That figure is expected to rise to between \$3 bil-lion and \$5 billion by 1995.

Fiat Profit Rose 10.3%, Sales 38.6% in Half

Special to the Herald Tribune ROME - Fiat SpA said Duesday that pretax profits rose 10.3 percent to 1.82 trillion lire (\$1.38 billion) in the six months to June 30 from 1.65 trillion a vear earlier, but forecast a slowdown in the second half because of increased tax on cars. The automaker, which is Italy's biggest private sector indus-

trial group, said that consoli-dated sales jumped by 38.6 percent to 19.9 trillion line. Investments in plant and equipment surged to 1,32 tril-lion lire from 549 billion lire.

Much of the new investment has been directed at the Alfa-Lancia anto subsidiary, which includes the Alfa Romeo group that Fiat bought last year.
While the combined operations will show a profit at the end of 1987, Fiat said, it does not ex-pect Alfa Romeo to return to profit for another two years.

Fiat said the government's recently announced 4 percent increase in value-added tax to 22 percent would depress sales.

Guinness Peat Says Equiticorp Has Control

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had won effective control. The bank wrote to shareholders saying it still thought the Equiticorp offer of 115 peace (\$1.87) a share was inadequate but that Equiticorp's holding of 44.2 per-cent of the shares gave it control. Equiticorp said Monday it had bought 7.8 million shares since last

Friday, increasing its holding from 42 percent to 44.2 percent. Michael Kerr-Dineen, Guinness Michael Kerr-Dineen, Guinness ing up Equiticorp's offer to buy Peat's managing director, said in some of their shares.

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Guinness Peat shares traded at 115 pence Tuesday on the London Stock Exchange, down 1 penny. to "realize their investment, either by selling shares in the market or by accepting Equiticorp's offer, un-less they wish to remain shareholders in Guinness Peat under Equiti-

Robert Maxwell, the British publisher, who had said previously corp's effective control in the hope he wanted to acquire Guinness of securing greater long-term val-Peat's entire share capital, said Friday he was withdrawing from the Mr. Kerr-Dineen said he and contest while holding about 14.5 percent of Guinness Peat shares.

other directors would continue to work under Equiticorp, while tak-He said Tuesday he had in-

SALOMON: Revlon's Perelman Seeks a Large Stake

board meeting after receiving the Perelman offer. Afterward, the board issued a statement saying it intended to keep its agreement with Berkshire Hathaway Inc. Mr. Buf-

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outbidding Mr. Buffett or going many's headquarters at its pre- into the market if, as expected, he location, and to allow at least gets antitrust clearance. Mr. Perele of the directors of Dayton man is understood to be thinking in terms of a 20 percent stake in Salo-

with Mr. Perelman almost until the announcement Sunday that Mr. Buffett had bought an interest in the company.

Along with the agreement with Mr. Buffett, Salomon paid \$809 a 14 percent stake held by Minerals Salomon stake for some time. It holding company controlled by for more than two board seats.

(Continued from first finance page) Officials of Salomon are said to Anglo American Corp. of South have been conducting negotiations Africa.

fett is chairman of Berkshire.

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As related by some sources, Minorco was "happy and willing" to sell its stake to Mr. Perelman as recently as last Wednesday.

Mr. Perelman is understood to million, or \$38 a share, to buy back have assured John H. Gutfreund, Salomon's chairman, that he was & Resources Corp., known as Min-orco, which had been selling off its still agreement, similar to one signed by Mr. Buffett, agreeing not then resold 12 percent to Mr. Buf- to buy more than 20 percent of the fett. Bermuda-based Minorco is a company until 1994 and not to ask

China's first international business magazine.



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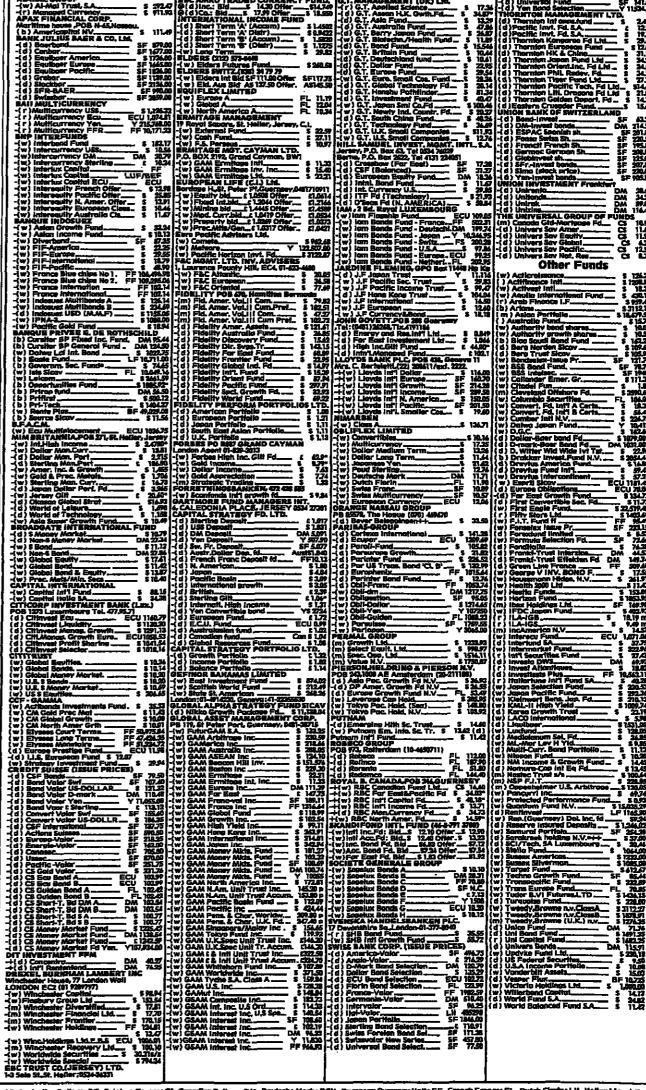
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Service to West Germany will be available to MCI customers early in the first quarter of 1988, the company said. West Germany is the 60th country to enter into an agreement with MCI.

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ollar Sharply Higher as Yen Suffers

W YORK - The dollar sharply higher Tuesday, regits strength in Japan's curmarkets, where the yen has met by a bond-market plunge and-of-fiscal-year currency

New York, the dollar closed at ven, a six-week high, and up 44.35 on Monday. Overnight yen, up from Monday's

e dollar rose overnight in Tohen many investors bought s with the proceeds of a large ation of Japanese govern-onds," said Gopalan Nair, a resident in foreign exchange g for Drexel Burnham Lam-

Monday, Japanese governbonds were sold in a market rokers said was dominated by that the Japanese central will raise its official discount the next few months.

addition, many corporations en for dollars in Tokyo as mies squared up their currensitions in preparation for esday's end of the Japanese

vear, Mr. Nair said. Nair said the dollar's th in the Far East carried mo the New York and En-

aarkets. ing the Deutsche mark, the closed in New York at up 1.3 plennigs from 1.8280 anday. Earlier in Frankfurt, liar was fixed at 1.8417, up han 1.5 pfennigs from 1.8253

inday. dollar also closed in New at 6.1285 French francs, up 6.0905, and at 1.5305 Swiss , up from 1.5160. London, there were reports

he Bank of England had inter-to break the dollar's rise, Mr. yield jumped to its highest level in lion of two-year notes with an aver-21 months, 9.81 percent from 9.67. age yield of 8.57 percent, at the top nound fell in London to

30 from Monday's \$1.6415 er dollar on foreign exchange marg. Later in New York, the kets failed to dispel the credit mardeclined further, to close at ker's bearish sentiment. "The mood

London Dollar Rates

The dollar was generally higher tyo, the dollar had risen to in London, but eased from sixweek highs during late trading. dealers said, partly because of com-ments from, Karl Otto Pohl, the Bundesbank president, that West

Germany has done what it can to stimulate its economy. But dealers said they considered the rise largely technical and tem-porary, especially in light of the continuing U.S. trade deficit.

Mr. Pohl's comments underlined market concern that West Germany and Japan are not prepared to stimulate their economies further to reduce the U.S. deficit, dealers said, leaving the task to a further devaluation of the dollar gione. "It might have more upside in the near-term, but there's been no

ly two years. Dealers said the market was de-

pressed by prospects of a flood of

new U.S. Treasury issues and wor-

ries over the impact of rising inter-

The benchmark 30-year bond

closed at 91 2/32, down from 92

10/32 on Monday, a loss of \$12.50

for each \$1,000 face amount. The

Market participants said a high-

est rates overseas.

Earl Johnson of Harris Trust & Savings Bank in Chicago.

In London, the dollar closed higher at 1.8400 DM, from 1.8245 on Monday; at 146.15 yen, after 144.10; at 1.5290 Swiss francs from 1.5135 and at 6.1175 French francs after 6.0825.

Dealers said that British authorities were keeping a watchful eye on the pound, determined to prevent its gathering strength from harming British exports. Dealers noted that sterling was being supported by the continuing high level of British interest rates.

On a trade-weighted basis against a basket of correncies the pound closed at 73.1 of its 1975 value compared with Monday's finaI 73.2.

Many dealers were surprised by the dollar's retreat and by the brisk selling activity that followed the Bundesbank president's remarks. Earlier in Europe, the dollar was fixed in Paris at 6.1318 French

france from 6.0835. In Zurich, the dollar closed at 1.5258 Swiss francs, up from 1.5130. (UPI, Reuters) turnaround in sentiment," said 1.5130.

U.S. Bonds Decline on Supply, Rate Worries

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NEW YORK — Prices of U.S. of Discount Corp. "There was no yield was 8.59 percent. This spread overnment bonds dropped more follow-through in our market what-

fell further when U.S. interest rate

futures closed near the day's lows.
The belief that yields will have to

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These auctions began Tuesday

when the Treasury sold \$9.26 bil-

selling pressure, traders said.

timue to rise," said Charles Schaefer times, and the highest accepted

rise to attract investors for the result on Dec. 2, 1985.

ing offered by the Treasury over rise in the face of strong gains in the next two weeks contributed to dollar and losses in gold prices

Taiwan Stocks In Record Drop As Credit Is Cut

"That is work for kids, not for an Agence France-Presse older woman with responsibil-TAIPEI -- Prices on the Taiities," she declared. So Mrs. Nieves will stay out of the job hunt, and out of the Labor Department's unemployment sta-

wan Stock Exchange plummet ed Tuesday in reaction to credit-tightening measures announced on Saturday, bro-kers said. The stock index dropped a record 153,39 points, eroding the market's value by A percent.

Brokers said the plunge, which knocked the index to 4,318.23 from a record 4,471.62 on Saturday, followed a decision by the local Securities and ange Commission to cut the amount of a stock that can be bought with margin loans to 20 percent from 30 percent.

holiday, has been rising. The drop came on record vol-unie of 32.9 billion Taiwan dollars (\$1.09 billion). But an exchange official said that 90 stocks, more than half the 133 stocks listed, ended higher.

sign of only moderate demand.

The average yield was up from 7.86 percent at the last auction of

two-year notes on Aug. 26 and was the highest since the 8.58 percent

The inability of debt futures to rise in the face of strong gains in the

both of which were positive devel-

opments for the inflation outlook

- also was a sign of underlying

The market also remains con-

weakness, dealers said.

tistics, getting by on her husband's wages (he earns \$8.50 an hour fixing sewing machines at Fidelity) and on help from three grown chil-Millions of nonworkers and marginal workers are among the more than 20 million Americans living in

One condition feeds on the other, with overcrowded housing, poor health, lack of child care and isolation in city slums all serving as battiers to work. "When you have a Liquidity from a huge trad-ing surplus is main reason the part of the society that has been pauperized, then you have also narket, closed Monday for a made them unemployable," said Barry Bluestone, an economics professor at Northeastern Univer-

sity in Boston. Higher wages might help. In fac E.T. Choice, a federally funded job-training program in Boston, aims at placing its clients, most of anns at placing its cheens, most or them single mothers on welfare, in jobs paying above \$6.50 an hour, or \$13,500 a year. "These women want to work, but

at lower pay than this, recidivism is high," said Thomas Glynn, a deputy commissioner of the Massachnsetts Public Welfare Department,

who runs the program. Apart from the education and pay issues, employers resist dealing with people long out of jobs. "The big problem is that no one is knocking on the doors of these hard-core people and saying here is opportu-nity," said Mr. Glynn. His program places 600 women a month, often providing medical insurance and paying child-care costs during the

woman's first year on the job. Resistance by employers takes veral forms. A number of personnel executives are reluctant to hire anyone without a high school diploma or previous job experience, both considered basic indicators of an applicant's ability to show up

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regularly and to work well with All of this adds up for mothers

is unwilling to seek a low-wage res-And only a handful of compa-

advance once they are in them. In a service economy, there are other requirements, too. Even the School. lowest-paid, least-skilled employee management often insists on "a basic standard of appearance."

"You have to look good, be able to spell, not be too fat, have all your teeth — and all that for \$5 an hour," said a social service agency official

Mr. Bluestone of Northeastern University adds: "A bank teller needs to be a person with a certain

You have to look good, be able to best-known is legislation written by Senator Daniel Patrick Moyniban, spell, not be too fat, have all your teeth — and all vate incomes rise. that for \$5 an hour.'

A social agency official

esmot, someone who at least conveys to customers the idea of middle class. Even a fast-food restaurant wants someone who not ers now is such a nightmare of only can dish up the soup, but can smile and talk."

Such people also have to be available for work. That is a huge issue among the growing number of single mothers, who worry that saloffset the loss of welfare payments and the outlay for child car

In Massachusetts and New York, for example, a mother with two children making \$750 a month -about \$4.35 an hour -could see agencies. her cash grant cut to \$120 a month, from \$550, and eliminated entirely after four months. Medicaid, however, continues for an additional five months in every state, and in some up to II months.

who are fearful of trading welfare nies, even in Boston, train people to not release them from poverty, said quality for entry-level jobs, or to Barbara Sard, a lawyer for Greater

Boston Legal Services and a lecturer on welfare law at Harvard Law "The loss of Medicaid especially must deal with customers, and is a big deterrent," she said. The system also fails to meet the needs of mothers who have to drop out of jobs because their children become ill, or who want to rear their chil-

dren themselves and work part-"What we need is a fluid system that allows for work, part or fulltime, with sufficient income sup-

plementation," Ms. Sard said. That potentially more costly approach is not the thrust of the welfare bills now in Congress.

None makes noticeable changes in the payments formulas. The

Democrat of New York, His proposal would require welfare mothers to take jobs even though they lose welfare benefits as their pri-What Mr. Moynihan would add to the welfare pot, for the first time, is what he envisions as an unlimited flow of funds for job training. The

Congressional Budget Office estimates the cost of the training at \$2.3 billion over five years. "The condition of welfare mothpoverty that work can only be an improvement," Mr. Moynihan said. "And if they do it, in time

their lot will improve, particularly with the job training provision." Thus far, most of the publicly aries would not be high enough to funded job training has been channeled not through the welfare system but through such programs as the Job Corps, the Private Industry Councils, E.T. Choice in Boston

and various other social service The training is primarily in basic skills, such as reading and math, to prepare people for jobs beyond the sort of counter work available in a fast-food restaurant at \$4 or \$5 an

NONWORKERS: As U.S. Jobs Multiply, Millions Feel Work Doesn't Pay But so far, few people have been helped by such programs. Some benefits for low-wage jobs that will a employment experts question whether job training, no matter how well funded, is going to make much of a dent in the growing welfare rolls.

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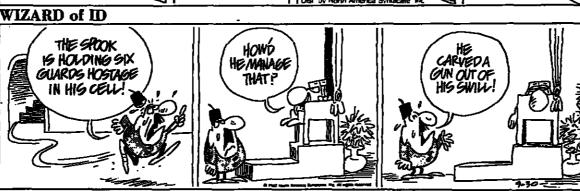


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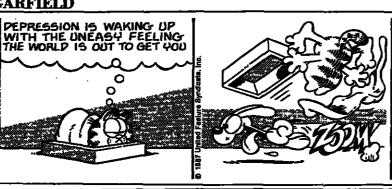
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BOOKS

JAGUARS RIPPED MY FLESH: Adventure Is a Risky Business

By Tim Cahill. 306 pages. \$8.95. Bantam Books Inc., 666 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10103.

Reviewed by Dennis Drabelle

I RREVERENCE is a specialty of Tim Cahill's generation, and he ranks among its apostles. One of the writers who helped Rolling Stone's Jann Wenner launch Outside magazine in 1976, Cahill generally steps into the out-doors with tongue in or near cheek, as the title of his new book suggests.

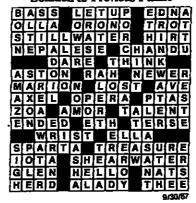
of his new book suggests.

The funniest pieces in this collection from the pages of Outside, Geo and other magazines constitute what might be called the Tim Tries Sequence. Rock-climbing, hang-gliding, parachute-jumping, ballooning, cave-exploring, hurricane-eye-flying (as a passenger, not a pilot), Cahill just says yes to them all. He portrays his editors as a passel of knee-slaming trays his editors as a passel of knee-slapping sadists whose chief pleasure in life consists of landing him in some new, terrorizing soup.

What lifts these pieces above the level of counterculture high jinks is the quality of Cahill's prose and the depth of his knowledge. He can evoke natural phenomena as vividly as any writer I'm familiar with. This is from his sketch of the devastated earth near post-eruption Mount St. Helens: "The color below is constant, a combination of the brown of the mud and of the black and the yellow-white of the ash. It is like no other color on the face of the earth, and it stretches, constant, from horizon to horizon. It insults the eyes, this color, and it will not allow the mind to fasten upon it. The color excites a sense of horror: it is like looking at the carcass of a skinned animal."

His informed explanations of natural processes include why trees split in the bitter cold of a Yellowstone winter (the sap inside them expands when frozen) and how turtles probably evolved ("from a marsh-dwelling lizard that hunched its shoulders forward, protecting its head with hard scales, in case of attack").

The untile essay, "The Shame of Escobilla," is indeed the book's soul — one of the most effective examples of environmental reporting ever published. Here we see a somber Cahill no jiving, no mugging — on a visit to a Mexican beach where a local grandee has built a hatchery to save the Olive Ridley sea turtle. Or so it seems. As chaill stays on the scene, missing his plane home, probing more deeply, certain anomalies crop up. The number of



female turtles hitting the beach for egg-in sessions has been plummeting in recent y The hatchery tubs are in use only on thed camera crew shows up to film the open and the hill of slanghtered turtles at the out back suggests a quite different par Money unloosens some tongues, and realizes he is dealing with a slaughtened disguise. Although the jury is still in whether the Olive Ridley will recover from butchery, the species undoubtedly has a chance thanks to Cahill's article.

Dennis Drabelle, a Washington writer this review for The Washington Post,...

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THE 35-PLUS DIET FOR WOMEN, by a man of the Man of t Seem Nagres

By Alan Truscott A NYONE who wishes to should consider following a recent English example. An accounting group was host of a bridge tournament to which 100 senior financial executives were invited, and generated more than \$16,000 for the Princes' Trust, which is headed by the Prince of Wales, and was established in 1976 to provide assistance to Britain's disadvantaged youth. Many of the financiers who bid to six spades on the diagramed deal survived a slight misplay. The auction shows a solution to a familiar bidding problem: bow

to raise a major-suit opening with balanced distribution and opening values.
The English style is to bid another suit and then jump to

strong raise. The best lead was a trump, and the declarers who naïvely drew three trumps were doomed. Those who saw the need for ruffs played diamonds quickly and survived. The interesting question was whether it was fatal to draw a second round of trumps, leaving one at large. On the face of it, South survives because West cannot gain the lead to play a third round of trumps and cut

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down the impending ruffs.
But Barry Rigals, a young
English expert, pointed out
that South can be punished for
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by Henri Arnold and Bob Lee

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Twins and Giants Win Western Division Pennants

NEW YORK — The Minnesota balked home Brunansky. wins and the San Francisco Giis clinched their first divisional division even if they had lost, as each, es since 1970 and 1971, respecdozzi, a career . 188 hitter against

ombardazi almost didn't get chance. With the Twins trailing 3-0, Kent Hrbek doubled and the top step of the dugout ready pinch-hit for Lombardozzi," i Tom Kelly, the first-year manowed his eighth home run of the

in in the eighth with a runner on h run came later in the inning victory over the Padres.

The Twins would have won the ary, with victories Monday night. Seattle. The Twins won their game in Arlington, Texas, Steve Lom- moments before the Royals lost. "We didn't want Seattle to do our was, hit a three-run homer and dirtywork," said Lombardozzi. em the go-ahead run to lead the "We didn't want to lose this game ins to a 5-3 victory over the and then come in the and win it that way. We wanted to do our celebrating on the field."

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do our celebrating on the field."

Minnesota finished sixth in the West last year and was not expected to be much better in 1987, but Frank in Brunansky walked in the Viola Bert Blyleven and Jeff Rear-rth inning. I had Gene Larkin don anchored a solid pitching staff and Hrbek, Kirby Puckett and Gary Gaetti paced a potent offense.

In San Diego, the Giants won the The for himself." Lombardozzi strength of players that joined the Robinson, who was batting .176 team this season. Relief pitcher Don Robinson, a mid-season acquisition (representing one of 84 I went to the plate that McCullers roster moves the Giants have made was going to hang me a slider," said d and two out, but Lombardozzi this year), allowed three hits over the in was left in and drove in Hrbek five imnings and homered to break a tie, lifting San Francisco to a 5-4

when reliever Mitch Williams
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and Chili Davis both pinch-hit have gone 33-15. San Francisco is homer, and Glean Davis also drove

After outfielders Davis and Leonard allowed Benito Santiago's routime fly to fall between them for a triple that tied the score, 4-4, in the

RASEBALL ROUNDUP

seventh, Robinson led off the eighth with his homer on a 1-2 pitch from reliever Lance McCullers.

Before tripling, Santiago beat out an infield single in the second, extending his hitting streak to 30 games, the record for a rookie. Only 29 major-league players have had strings of 30 or more.

Manager Roger Craig said he ever considered pinch hitting for but is one of the best hitting pitchers in baseball. "I told Craig before was going to hang me a slider," said Robinson. "I knew it was gone the moment I hit it,"

starting play Aug. 7, five games be-

Craig's first full season as ma the Giants finished third at 83-79.

This is the most excited I've ever been," said Craig. "This is just American League, in Toronto, the first step — you can't win the Dale Sveum's bases-loaded double the first step - you can't win the World Series until you win the divi-

the National League, in Philadelphia, second-inning doubles by Kevin McReynolds and Howard Johnson provided the game's only run, and John Candelaria combined with two relievers on a seven-hitter that and Pete Stanicek, Fred Lynn and Eddie Market in the Stanice Stani ed New York within two games play; the Cardinals, who were to the ninth. open a series Tuesday night against third-place Montreal, have seven.

Reds 6, Braves 5: In Cincinnati, Atlanta

Astros 11, Dodgers 5: In Hous-

home runs - No. 100 lifetime for only the fourth club to finish first in in four runs to lead the Astro rout a full season two years after losing of Los Angeles. Puhl had four hits 100 or more games. Last year, and Davis three, including a threerun homer. Jim Deshaies (11-6) won for the first time since Aug. 16.

Brewers 6, Blue Jays 4: In the keyed a four-run fifth that carried Milwankee. Limited to five hits, the Mets 1, Phillies 0: Elsewhere in Blue Jays nonetheless stayed 21/2

Eddie Murray all singled in runs. of Eastern Division-leading St. Habyan (6-6) did not allow more Louis. The Mets have five games to than one runner in any inning until Jack Morris (18-9, but 6-7 since

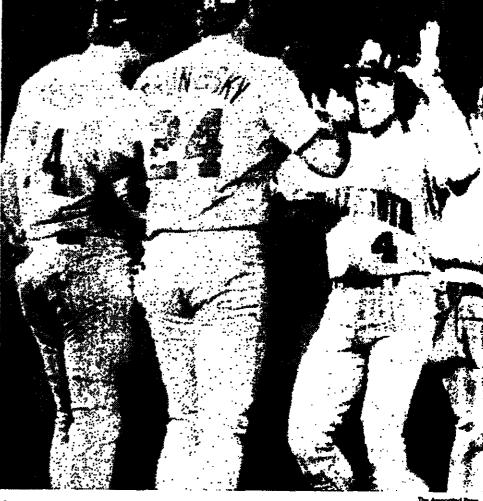
the All-Star break) lost his third straight start. He struck out 10 but home runs by Buddy Bell and Barry Larkin highlighted a six-run
fourth that rallied the Reds past

Delbar Witt of Trans jor-league record set last year by Bobby Witt of Texas. kees 9, Red Sex 7: In New York, Mike Easler's two-run homer

capped a sixth-run ninth that ral-lied the Yankees. Easler put a 2-2 pitch from Calvin Schiraldi, the fourth Boston pitcher of the inn into the upper deck in right field.

Mariners 5, Royals 1: In Kansas City, Missouri, Lee Guetterman and Jerry Reed combined on a six-hitter, and Phil Bradley drove in two runs as Seattle won its fourth strai Gnetterman (10-4) recorded his first victory since July 29. Mark Gubicza, who has been supported by just 26 runs in his losses this season,

(UPI, AP)



Steve Lombardozzi, right, high-fived by Minnesota teammates after his fourth-inning home run.

Wegman, Mirabella (7), Clear (9) and Schroeder: Floragen, Ward (5), Elchhorn (5), Cerutri (9) and Whitt, W—Wegman, 11-11, L—Floragens, 4-5, Sys—Clear (6), Ng—Alli-woukes, Deer (28), Moliter (14), Toronto, Mul-

1 Texas Section (9) and Bu-Niekra, Berenguer (7), Racrdon (9) and Bu-tere, Laudser (9): Guzman, Russell (8), Wil-lams (8), Mehorcic (8), Howe (9) and Pa-tratil, W.—Bertrayer, B.1, L.—Guzman, H-12, Sw.—Reardon (31), HR.—Minnesole, Lambor-

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Monday's Major League Line Scores

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Major League Standings

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At the Season's Turn, the Heat's Turned Up

ONDON — Europe is back on great wealth of talent and experi-ter time, but from Naples to eace has boiled down to two long ter time, our room transport acting the boiling point.

I'm not manage and the Socret is about temperament, signal temperature. The oil is embroion, not suntan lotion. When big ney's on the table, players' limbs n black-and-blue, not brown. a less than pretty sight, but it a less more universally than our

itical mesters. The message is win or be damned. The message is war and the boot of malwill be uplifted in the name of tory on Wednesday. Few will ob-

ROB HUGHES

, and those of us who do are, To Objectly, prudes of a lost generation. so perhaps we should let players on with their war games? Better it than the real thing. Or perhaps should denounce this callous erpretation of sport, with its est to public order and its accepince of cheating.

Either way, Wednesday's mood drunk on vengeance and hyste-The European Champions Cup uch between Naples and Real which bristles with famous Latins o cost more than thoroughbred :ehorses.

Vespolitans have waited their times to take on Europe Eighty. e thousand have begged, bought stolen to get inside San Paolo

. "It may be asking too much to ⇒ect every one of 360 accredited imalists (some from as far afield

er legitimate 2-0 beating in Spain. Maradona might have commed that a superstar should not asked to perform without audi-> > (Madrid's stadium was closed er hooligans had torn up railings throw as spears against Bayern mich last season).

He might have, but the atmohere was just as soulless to Real cadrid. Defeat had more to do th Napoli's attempt to close on the game and minimize the

Romanian referee for allowing meet with striking players, some of whom questioned him about the

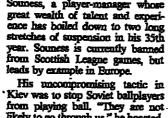
They may, of course, perceive seggery at a way of unsettling a ter team Napoli lost by 1-0 on aday to a Fisa side reduced to 10 on after laving center-back Paul liott sent off. But Real Madrid is along at smooth as a Lam-righini. Its manager, Leo Been-ekker, has wrestled with the Latin inperament to instill something e the total football that distinished his Dutch nation years ago. Real has won its five Spanish ague games, outscoring the op-sition by 23-1. Explosive strikers willo Butraguerio and Hugo Sán-zare full of goals. So is Michel, 2 tall midfielder who springs so scelully forward. So is fullback inchis place described in the strikers nchis, whose dynamic attacking wildered Napoli in Madrid.

I suspect that Napoli's long, long ropesn dream will mrn into things. I wonder if UEFA will re react as harshly as it just has kinst Partism Tirana.

Tirans was expelled from the ampions Cup tournament, and ar of its violent players banned up to five years after assaults on ponents and insults to the refer-in Lisbon Not an auspicious atribution to Albanian efforts to ike friends in the world.

Punishing Albanians comes easithan tacking monied Italians d Spaniands or for that matter viets and southern Commen.

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likely to go through us," he boasted. Alexei Mikhailichenko, one of Kiev's few noninternationals, was naive enough to try. He dodged three tackies, was felled by Graham Roberts and scored the only goal from the penalty spot,

Roberts himself is undergoing intensive treatment for a pulled stomach muscle. If that works, he will dish out the treatment, perhaps to Igor Belanov, who is arguably the fastest front-runner in soccer. He is currently Europe's player of the year, and he is struggling against persistent injuries.

Even half-fit, he might be the rapier to cut through Glasgow, whose rearguard is fierce but not fast. Dare Kiev risk him? The alternative is Oleg Blokhin, still quick but reduced to bursts as he nears 36. Kiev, already without playmaker

Alexandr Zavarov and defenders Sergei Baltacha and Andre Bal, is not the team of 1986. Fatigue born of doubling as national and chib players -- has set in.

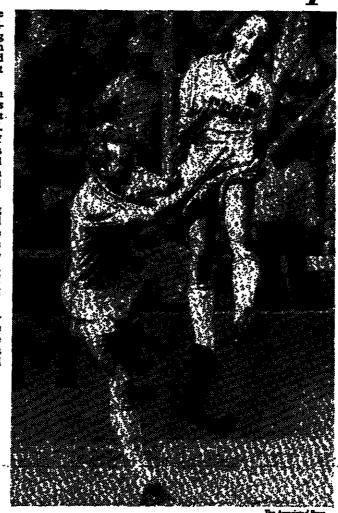
No one entertains the thought that radioactivity from nearby Chemobyl has left any debilitating gacy (although lambs thousands of miles away in Wales are supposedly contaminated).

Lambs, not soccer players. Mer-Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Jathyr Tydfil, from the coal valleys of a) to come and go without being southern Wales, is cotimistic of ased by March's infamous rick beating Atalanta of Italy in the Acts. I Cup Winners Cup. That is as ratiocan go to the medieval town of and it may be unreasonable to the prima doma players will play the rules.

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Cup Winners Cup. That is as ratiocan go to the medieval town of orange juice, but this is our big change in the rules. Diego Maradona, Salvatore players — debt collectors, road and by will.



The injury-beset Igor Belanov (right, after a World Cup goal against Belgium): Will Dynamo Kiev risk him in Glasgow?

there is romance enough left in socgni and Remando De Napoli, is needers, telephone engineers — Of course, there must be sacifice:

If it is Real Madrid, cannot accept the policy of the polic

Swiss Runner Barred 2 Years For Drug Use

dropped to 12-18.

LONDON - Runner Sandra Gasser of Switzerland failed a test for steroids at last month's world track championships and has been barred from international competition for two years. including next summer's Olympics, it was announced Tuesday. The International Amateur Athletic Federation also said Gasser had been stripped of her bronze medal in the 1.500 meters at the championships in Rome and her victory in the mile at the grand prix meet in Brussels six days later.

The IAAF said two urine samples taken from Gasser in Rome showed traces of testosterone, a banned synthetic hormone that can boost an athlete's performance. She was the only athlete cited for illegal drug use among 192 tested at the champiips, which ended Sept. 6.

in 3 minutes, 59.06 seconds — 13 seconds faster than her previous Gasser is among the first athletes penalized under new IAAF rules that provide automatic two-year bans and no ap-peal for first-time offenders found to have used steroids and

At a meeting Tuesday in New

York, NFL owners were expected to deal more with preparing a full slate of replacement games this weekend

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Football

U.S. College Top 20s

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Transition

LEAGUE-Named Jee Brinkmon,

South Bend of the Midwest League, Tampa of the Florida State League and Utica of the New

HOCKEY

National Hockey League
LEAGUE—Suspended Calgary defense-man Gary Sufer four regular-season games and for the first six games of any tournoment sonctioned by the International La Hockey Federalian fer a high-sticking incident during

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Some Cracks Are Showing in NFL Strike Solidarity By Michael Wilbon

, Washington Post Service WASHINGTON - Day Seven

of the National Football League strike found management and la-bor no closer to settlement or even reline.
Sut the world's most gifted indismal and its worst loser blamed traveling around the country to

union's position on free agency. But many players, some previ-ously undecided, indicated they

prepared to stay out as long as necessary.

Clark, quarterback Joe Montana not my job to go out and rally," he said they are considering crossing meetings I'm conducting over the said they are considering crossing.

mion's emphasis on unrestricted days in 1982 and got what we were free agency, which would allow offered before we went out. There's players to move more freely to other nowhere near as much solidarity as teams at some point in their careers. there was in 1982."

striking for free agency. Veteran New England Patriot Raymond Clark said his team told Upshaw in Clayborn said the union is not as solid as it was during the 57-day strike of 1982. And Chrismati line-backer Regular Williams contoursed the main issue of the main is backer Reggie Williams amounced he will play on Sunday with the Bengals' "replacement" team.

But many players, some previously undecided, indicated they support the union position and are their ward for agency is the issue. They're losing too much money. I don't his visits is not to shore up what has purpose of the will players in Atlanta and New York Tuesday.

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on Friday that many players would the picket line to play.

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New England's Clayborn soundplayers of what's going on. The

IS ONE THING, MAN, BUT I DRAW THE LINE AT MY JEWELRY.

than a couple of weeks. But after the meeting with Upshaw, Hunley said, "As far as right now goes, there's no season," he said. "It's over. This regolators that they have now the whole process better." thing might last a long time..." can't get the thing done, maybe we
But it appears there are a number
of players who disagree with the
on both sides. We went out for 57

The owners have said they are willing to liberalize the current system, but free agency still is the major circusti Rescale are Williams, a 12-year veteran, told and we're successful, that does create additional pressure on the playof Bagui and De Napoli warn the other foot come of the players should be on the players should be on the other foot come of the players should be on the other foot come of the players should be on the other foot come of the players should be on the other foot come of the players should be on the other foot come of the players should be on the other foot come of the players should be on the players sho

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The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A national opinion survey shows Americans overwhelmingly siding with the owners rather than the players in the current National Football League contract dispute. The Owners

League contract dispute.

In a Wirthin Group survey conducted last week among 1,000 adults, 47 percent of all respondents said they side with the contract of the state of the said they side with the owners and

cent said they had no opinion.

A similar poll in 1982 found that
36 percent favored the owners and
35 percent sided with the players.
In the telephone poll, taken between Sept. 21-25, people were
asked, "As you may know, there is currently a contract dispute in the National Football League between what you've heard and read, would you say you are generally more sympathetic toward the players' position?"

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position or the owners' position?" The terms "players" and "own-Russens ers" were rotated to avoid order according

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Also-Rans Dream Too

By Russell Baker

EW YORK — In 1944 I N played tackle on my platoon football team at the Naval Preflight School at the University of Georgia. The season lasted two weeks, after which we all became boxers for two weeks. After that, two weeks of wrestling, but never mind. It's the football that matters here.

I was not the worst tackle ever to play, just the unhappiest. My style was to bury my body face down under the opposing lineman before he could get face down under mine. Heavy pain resulted from ending up on top, for my team's fullback weighed maybe 210 pounds, had played at Ohio State and exulted in the joy of cleats digging into human flesh as he lumbered toward the

I had signed up to shoot America's enemies in the sky, not to be mashed by my countrymen. When strategy called for sending the Ohio behemoth toward my side of the line, I dived shamelessly for shelter. Later I heard it said that football builds character. Nonsense. What football builds is survival skill.

The big fullback resulted from a Navy plot to turn its preflight schools into football factories comparable to the state universities Since the war gave the Navy priority claims on U.S. manpower, it soon fielded teams glutted with

Grade A football players. As a result, many good college players were unable to make the teams and were reduced to playing gym-class games with a lot of people so innocent of football that they couldn't even see what it had to do with flying airplanes.

Long after that fullback's cleat prints had nearly faded from my spine, I felt sorry for him. It must have been terrible for him, being cut from the big team, being busted down to games with kids who didn't understand about the character-building and had no aesthetic appreciation of the feats he was performing.

There must have been nights when he prayed somebody on the big team would be so badly mangled that the coach, needing a replacement, would have to come hat in hand, pleading just a little: "The only thing that can save the team

now is a big dose of good old Ohio State gridiron know-how."

I am reminded of all this by the professional football owners' decision to light the players' strike by fielding rinkydink teams and by the stories of these castoff players being abused and jeered as scabs for crossing the picket lines. No matter how big a labor buff you may be, this is a case where you need a heart of stone not to feel a twinge of compassion for the strikebreakers.

Like that fullback whose memory still makes my spine ache on rainy days, these are the men who aren't quite good enough at their chosen profession ever to have a crack at the peculiar glory it offers to nature's darlings.

Nature has so few favorites, and the difference between them and those who aren't quite good enough is such a tiny difference. A fraction too slow of foot or too slow of mind, a minuscule impairment of reflex, just the slightest clumsiness of foot - the difference between the professional and the not-quite professional at this level is probably so slight that most men who get discarded must find it impossible to be honest with themselves about not having the ultimate ability.

It must be hard not to kid yourself, not to say, "The coaches didn't give me a l'air shot," or "I just got a bad break," or "I didn't get enough time to show what I can do." In an intensely competitive busi-

ness it is hard to concede that you are just not quite good enough to make the grade. So the football owners easily find enough dreamers, along with natural goons and guys who need the money, to create rinkydink teams to play rinkydink games and keep the TV money coming in. After the strike, will any be kept on to play with the professionals? Not one. Will the professionals despise them as "scabs" for years to come? Very likely.

Most of them probably know this, and many may dislike themselves for being used as union bashers. If football, however, is your business and your love it must take character to reject a chance to wear the big-time shoulder pads, even briefly. Out of the shabbiness, perhaps, might come an instant of glory to make shabbiness seem sup-

New York Times Service

Georgia Brown Bounces Back

By Jeremy Gerard New York Times Service

N EW YORK - Almost 24 years after her Broadway debut in "Oliver!" Georgia Brown is back in a slum, coddling and cajoling a ragamuffin gaggle of incorrigible street urchins. She must think, this dark-haired, saucer-eved woman who is berself the product of an impoverished childhood, that what goes On Thursday at the Royale

Theater, Brown and company open in "Roza," a musical based on Romain Gary's 1974 novel, "La Vie Devant Soi." In a wig that seems to have gone to rust and makeup just shy of Ringling Bros., Brown plays an aging former prostitute who has turned her seedy Paris apartment and her generous nature over to the care and feeding of her younger colleagues' children, rather than see them remanded to the authorities. The spirit of the show may be surmised by listing a few of those kids' names: Msomi, Shoichi Chan, Dumakude, Ben-Ari, Rosenberg. Those aren't the characters' surnames, it's worth noting; they're those of the young actors playing them.
"Roza," which has a score by

Gilbert Becaud and Julian More, is staged by Hal Prince, who had no trouble pinpointing the mo-ment in January 1963 when he saw in Brown a quality he wanted to work with. This happened to a lot of people in 1963, when she brought down the house at the Imperial Theater singing "As Long as He Needs Me," in "Oli-

"I knew that very glamorous, sexy, uniquely bright presence," Prince said of Brown as Nancy. She was sort of like Sophia Loren." In 1977, when Prince bired her as a replacement in Ste-phen Sondheim's "Side By Side." he promised to find a major role for her. "Roza" was it: another Nancy, several decades older and world-weary but never broken of spirit. "This is Georgia," he said. She's a Jewish mother. She is the melder: The morale of a show starts at who's in the star dressing room. The whole spirit of the show is retained by her. She treats the kids respectfully, she isn't sentimental with them."

Brown, born Lillian Klot 53 years ago in the East End of London, is fiercely devoted to the art of survivorship — a trait she traces to her father, a rag-trade laborer and bookmaker, her mother and her grandmother. "I grew up in a large Jewish family. Very poor, never knew it. I never knew it. Very religious - Grandfather was the patriarch. Went to school. Spent a great deal of time in air-raid shelters, being strafed by the bombers - we could see the insignia on the planes as they

With all those people competing for attention, perhaps it was inevitable that Brown would seek the spotlight. On the contrary, she never felt lost in the crowd. "I loved it," she said. "My grandmother's kitchen was as big as this room, and we were all in it at Pesach [Passover]. We danced on the table.

made the turn to go back to Ger-

"My grandmother had a gas stove not much bigger than the one on the stage, and she cooked each kid a different lunch, whatever they wanted. I remember on Friday nights, after erev shabbos, she would sit outside the house, with her apron out like this, calling for the hungry. She was my center. She was so strong: in the midst of all the madness, she controlled it all. She even controlled the patriarch grandfather."

Roza is not so different from her grandmother. A 1977 movie. "Madame Rosa," starred the late Simone Signoret in a more solemn interpretation of the novel. "I sort of grew up with the name Simone Signoret imprinted on my head from 'Room at the Top,' " she said. "We sort of all Top,

came through together at the same time, in the '60s, and it was the first time in British history that English-speaking actors didn't have to speak as if they had apples implanted in their mouths. And that movie was very much a part of that milien.

"When I realized she had done this part, as well, I didn't want to see the film. But when we were in Los Angeles, there it was."

As a teen-ager, she made the rounds of dance halls and cabarets, singing bluesy ballads and dancing with her neighbor and friend, Vidal Sassoon. In 1955,



Hal Prince coaching Georgia Brown for "Roza."

she played Lucy in "The Three-penny Opera" at the Royal Court Theatre, and in 1957 followed Beatrice Arthur in the part in the off-Broadway production. Then she originated the role of Nancy in the 1960 London production of "Oliver!" and brought it to Broadway three years later.

In the years that followed, she began working extensively in film and television. During the '70s, Brown was a producer for the BBC; her achievements included producing and starring in "Shoulder to Shoulder," a history of the women's movement at the turn of the century. When the British film industry fell apart she married the father of her then-6-yearold boy, and the family moved to Los Angeles.

"When we got to Los Angeles," she remembered, "I was quite lost. Where was the Royal Court Theatre? I couldn't find the theaters. The television I understood was BBC and drama and class material and political. I didn't "It's wonderful to disappear."

know how to approach American television, and I can't audition at a certain point in British actors' careers, you take a meeting, but you don't audition."

In 1979, she starred with Ce-sare Siepi in the musical, "Carmelina." The show closed after 17 performances. Steven Berkoff's "Greek," in which she appeared, wasn't received much more fond ly, though Brown was. Her solo show, "Georgia Brown and Friends," was also warmly received. Her films include "Galileo," "Tom Jones" and "The Seven-Percent Solution." In "Roza," Brown plays a fero-

cious extrovert, her arms embracing all who will gather there. The actor and the character share one soul. But Roza is not an alluring or especially flattering role, and Brown also mused that transforming herself so boldly and completely is one of the things she's in the business for. "That's the theater," she said.

PEOPLE

Richard Gere and Tibe

greeted the 14th Daksi Lama of Ti- where the world's first written bet at a reception to announce guage was developed. Work plans for the creation of a center for Tibetan culture in New York as Kramer spent half a century described to the content of the century of the the Dalai Lama, spiritual leader of six million Tibetan Buddhists, wound up a 10-day tour of the ledgers to develop a vivid, cold limited States. Gere, a disciple of picture of the first civilization the Dalai Lama and the star of "American Gigolo" and "An Offi-cer and a Gentleman," interrupted filming a movie in Iowa to attend the amouncement. He is chairman of the board of Tibet House, a civilization," said Craig Escale center to focus American attention executive director of the Prov on the cultural and religious heri- vania Humanities Council, tage of Tibet. In addition to an- gave Kramer the council's di nonneing plans for Tibet House, which does not yet have a site, Gere announced a series of events planned to commemorate the "Year of Tibet" in 1990. Among them are what Gere said would be surgeon Dr. Michael DeBal the largest exhibit of Tibetan art toured the Texas Medical ever shown. He said Tibet House on Monday during their first has reached agreement to exhibit the Southwestern United \$ has reached agreement to exhibit the "Treasures of Tibet" show at the Asian Art Museum in San Francisco and is negotiating with the Metropolitan Museum in New York and the Arthur M. Sackler Gallery of the Smithsonian Institution in Washington. There also are mis patient that the king leave plans for a specially commissioned ppera on the life of a Tibetan saint. Milereps, to open at the Brooklyn Academy of Music; and for a onehour documentary on Tibet, to be broadcast by the Public Broadcasting System. The 52-year-old Dalai Lama, who has lived in India since he fled Tibet during an uprising in 1959, arrived in the United States on Sept. 19.

A \$1 million benefit for AIDS nese boy stranded on a small victims, featuring Angels Leastury, Openh Winfrey and a host of other celebrities, drew more than 3,000 people. "In the past year, I have lost five people close to my life from that same illness," Lansbury told the crowd. "It has and will touch every man, woman and child throughout the country." The ben-Broadway producer who helped organize it before he died of acquired structor and was immort immime deficiency syndrome last

Samuel Noah Kramer celebrated his 90th birthday Monday fresh Leeds international plane from a tribute by more than 500 for young pianists.

In an unlikely pairing of East scholars who saluted his real and West, the actor Richard Gere tions about life in ancient Sun the planet," colleagues said du a ceremony at the University Pennsylvania. "The society found was the first culture of carried all the attributes of a guished humanist award.

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